





# LOST "FACE" THROUGH WIFE'S ACTIONS: THREW ACID AT HER

## American Sentenced: To Appeal

Shanghai, July 20. Harold William Allen, 28-year-old American sentenced yesterday to three and a half years imprisonment by the Chinese District Court for assault resulting in the death of a taxi driver, will appeal against the verdict.

He has ten days in which to file an appeal.

The verdict was announced yesterday in the presence of representatives of the American Consulate-General here. According to the prosecution, Allen, a radio technician, caused the driver's death on the evening of May 29 during a dispute over fare.

The defence, however, contended that the driver got into a brawl with ruffians after payment of the taxi fare and was fatally wounded in the fight.

Efforts are now being made to get Allen released on bail during the period of appeal.

## Fortune Seeking "Gunman"

Wong Kan wanted to make a fortune with an unseizable revolver, but the "gunner" was snipped in the bud by the police on June 29.

When arrested he was found to carry in his pocket a gun, unloaded and unseizable and wrapped in newspaper and a pillowcase.

He told the Court that he wanted to make a fortune with it.

Charged with possession of arms, Wong Kan was sentenced by Mr. J. Wicks to six months' hard labour, and recommended for deportation.

The Secretary of the Hong Kong Light Orchestra gratefully acknowledges the following donation to the Band Instrument Fund:—Anonymous \$50, Total to date \$1,285.

A Chinese hawkier did not object when his wife brought her boy friend home. But when she would not allow him into his own house and throw away his belongings, he lost his temper. At the Supreme Court yesterday, Siu Kwok-sang pleaded guilty to throwing corrosive fluid at his wife and was sentenced by Mr. Justice Reynolds (Acting Puisne Judge), to four years' hard labour.

Mr. W. A. Blair-Kerr, Assistant Crown Solicitor, conducted the case for the prosecution, assisted by Det. Inspector H. T. Matches.

In a statement from the dock, Siu said that he was arrested in March last for hawking without a licence and sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment. During that time his wife changed completely. When he came out of prison, the principal tenant of the house where he lived would not allow him to enter the premises because his wife had misbehaved herself.

He then moved to Sai Tau Street with his wife. While at this place, his wife continued to quarrel with him and did not return until 11 p.m. each night. On one occasion, when he had been to Hong Kong to look for employment, he found his wife in bed with a boy friend on his return. He did not disturb them, but remained on the stairway.

After the boy friend left, his wife followed him and did not return until after 1 a.m. Siu said that he did not quarrel with his wife over this affair because it was late and he did not want to disturb the other inmates on the floor.

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## Gambler Enticed Women

A professional gambler and an undesirable character in Kowloon who enticed unwary persons, especially women, to stake their kings and 'jowellery' in the black-red card game, was sentenced to four months' hard labour at Kowloon yesterday.

Yeung Hui, who was charged with larceny by trick, was also recommended for deportation, by Mr. W. H. Latimer.

Defendant was observed by a detective on the pavement outside 370 Shanghai Street with a crowd around him. The detective recognized defendant as a professional gambler and an undesirable character. At his approach the crowd dispersed. Defendant was seen to receive \$1 from a woman, which he declared was won by him.

Yeung Hui had a previous conviction for street gambling.

## Assassination Attempt On Japanese Communist

Tokyo, July 20. Secretary-General Kyuichi Tokuda of Japan's Communist Party was wounded slightly last night in an unsuccessful assassination attempt. The Reds immediately called for a "Democratic Defence Committee" to forestall further "furtive movements of underground reactionaries."

As Tokuda was speaking last night in the civic auditorium in Saga City, Kyushu, on "The Present Political Situation and Attitude of the Communist Party," a Japanese coal miner in the balcony threw a dynamite filled soda bottle at him. The Communist sustained 38 cuts, mostly about the left arm and left leg.

His assailant, Ichiro Koga, 27-year-old participant in an anti-Communist movement in Kyushu coal pits, surrendered two hours later to the police.

The assassination attempt was expected to sharpen the current labour dispute in which several Communist-influenced unions are taking part.

Red Charge

The Central Executive Committee of Japan's Communist Party charged in an angry statement that the assassination attempt was a cowardly act of violence taken by militaristic reactionary elements which still remain in Japan. It warned of possible violence in the future against "labour movements, farm movements and other Democratic organizations."

Koga, a renegade Communist who had been a war prisoner of the Russians, said he "regretted" his assassination attempt had failed. "As long as there is Communism in Japan, she cannot be rehabilitated," he explained.

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Second Attack

The attack on Tokuda was the second on prominent Leftists since the occupation. Early in 1947, two youthful members of what is generally regarded as a Rightist society tried unsuccessfully to kill Katsumi Kikunari, then President of the Leftist Congress of Industrial Unions. Kikunari since has abandoned the CIU and joined the Communist Party—Associated Press.

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## Leave For Ambassador

Hankow, July 20. The British Ambassador, Sir Ralph Stevenson, and Lady Stevenson will leave Hankow on July 21 for three months home leave, travelling via Hong Kong and France.

British officials said Sir Ralph's visit is a purely normal leave and that the Ambassador expects to return to Hankow in October. Associated Press.

## Widow, 19, Was Not A Forger

A pawnshop would be the last place for anyone to pass forged notes, Mr. W. H. Latimer remarked when he discharged Lal Tai-kan at Kowloon yesterday.

Witness said he and his family shared the kitchen and bathroom. Defendant did not offer to do the cooking for them, and they were entirely self-maintained, witness declared.

The furnishing was not adequate and the conditions were bad. The pillows were filthy and the only sheet offered was not usable.

Moves To Top Floor

In December, 1947, the defendant approached them saying that she wanted them to move into the top floor flat, as she wanted to let the ground floor as a whole apartment. She sent a letter to that effect.

As a result of the letter, they moved into a furnished single room for which they paid \$300. Witness said he replaced some of the furniture with his own. He paid extra for electricity, gas and water. There were no notices stating the rent payable to the landlord by the tenant or by witness to Mrs. Pears.

There was no offer of services of any kind by the defendant, complainant stated. His wife, two children and himself were all self-maintained.

Under cross-examination by defence counsel, witness said he thought \$300 was excessive. He was lived of living in a boarding house, so he took the rooms provided by the defendant, although they were not satisfactory.

Witness told counsel that he paid \$13 a person at the Harbour View Hotel.

Knowledge Of Infringement

Mr. de Silva: Were you aware in July and August last year that the rents demanded by Mrs. Pears?

Seized Gold Confiscated

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A cook, Shek Hok-cheung was arrested on the 23rd Cheung King with two bags, valued at \$380. A woman, Li Lai, was arrested on the Tung On wharf with four bags, valued at \$680, in her stride.

They were absent when their cases were called.

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## RN Commander Complainant Against Mrs B. Pears

An advertisement in a local newspaper was instrumental in bringing Mrs. Bertha Pears to Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday, summoned on two counts of failing to give rental notices and eight counts of excessive charges.

Lieutenant Commander George Victor King, RN, who was represented by Mr. A. J. Clifford (instructed by Messrs. Hastings & Co.), was the complainant. Mr. Marcus da Silva was in court on behalf of Mrs. Pears. He entered a plea of not guilty to all the summonses.

Lieutenant Commander King told the Court that his wife showed him an advertisement on July 12, 1947, about premises to let. They went a few days later to inspect the premises at 4 Knight Street, Kowloon, ground floor. They agreed to pay \$300 for one large furnished room and \$50 for a smaller bare room, adjoining.

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## Suitcase Contained Revolvers

Convicted on a charge of possession of arms and ammunition Kwok Wal-chung, aged 26, married woman of 16 Centre Street, third floor, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and banishment by Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Central yesterday.

Detective Inspector A. Shaw who conducted the prosecution, told the court that defendant with a suitcase was going along Connaught Road Central on July 9 when her behaviour aroused the suspicions of police constable 1091 who stopped and searched her.

In going through the contents of the suitcase the constable discovered three revolvers and 20 rounds of ammunition. The constable took her to the station where she was charged with possession of arms and ammunition.

Defendant in her statement to the court said the suitcase belonged to Chan Fok whom she had known through business transactions previously. Chan requested her to take the suitcase to No. 19 Lower Row and there to wait for him.

She stated that she was absolutely innocent as to the contents of the suitcase and ask the magistrate to deal with her leniently.

Inspector Shaw informed the magistrate that he had been instructed to ask for the maximum sentence and for banishment.

Catholic Cemetery Funeral

The funeral of the late Miss Zita Maria d'Almeida e Castro who died at her residence No. 220 Nathan Road on Monday after a short illness was held at the Catholic cemetery yesterday.

The Rev. Father Stephen Lam officiated at the chapel and at the graveside.

The chief mourners were Messrs. Hon. Leo d'Almeida e Castro, C. d'Almeida e Castro, J. M. d'Almeida e Castro, all nephews of d'Almeida e Castro.

Others present included Mr. A. M. L. Soares, Mr. Marcus da Silva, Mr. E. V. Alves, Mr. D. A. Alencar, Mr. A. Alves, Mr. Leo Guimaraes, Mr. G. A. Guimaraes, Mr. C. Correia, Mrs. A. Moray-Jones, Mr. V. Vassilovich, Mr. C. H. Basto, Mrs. H. Noronha, Mr. H. Remedios, Miss L. Carvalho, Mrs. Leo d'Almeida e Castro, Mr. E. Christensen, Mr. J. M. S. Alves, Mrs. Luz, Mr. M. A. Carvalho, Mr. J. Basto, Mr. J. Braga, Mr. E. Alves, Mr. E. Reid, Mr. C. R. e Silva, Mr. D. M. e Silva, Mr. V. B. d'Almeida e Castro, and others.

Wreaths were sent by Messrs. d'Almeida e Castro, Remedios and Company, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Barreto, Marcus and Carl and Henriette and daughters.

Late Mr Colman's Funeral

A funeral service for the late Mr. Thomas Colman who died at St. Teresa's Hospital on Monday took place yesterday at the Colonial cemetery chapel.

The Rev. F. Short conducted the service.

Mr. Colman, 60-year-old, was married to the Kowloon District. Wreaths were sent from the following: Moller, Cairn, Craik, Bateman, Cunningham, Club, Rechele, Hong Kong and Whampoa District, Blacksmith Department and Goddard and Douglas.

There will be a Casting Meeting of the Hong Kong Stage Club for a new Radio Play, today at 8.30 p.m. in King George's Hall in the Mission to Seafarers, Gloucester Road.

All interested are invited to attend.

Reminders

Today

Too H. Club meeting, Taipei House, 50, Macdonnell Road, 6.30 p.m.

Sino-British Club Orchestra rehearsal, St. John's Cathedral Hall, Garden Road, 6 p.m.

Crown Land Sale, District Office, Taipei.

Casting Meeting, Hong Kong Stage Club, at King George's Hall, Mission to Seafarers, 8.30 p.m.

Community Events Tomorrow

Association of Chinese, at the Hotel, 12.45 p.m.

Supporting Committee, at the Peninsula Hotel, 1.30 p.m.

R.F. Football Club, at the Hong Kong Stadium, 7.30 p.m.

H.K. Lawn Tennis Club, at the H.K. Tennis Club, 8.30 p.m.

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## Teachers' Summer School

At the opening of the Aberdeen Teachers' Summer School which began yesterday, at the Regional Seminary, Aberdeen, Mr. M. G. O'Connor, acting Director of Education spoke to the assembled teachers.

Having congratulated the organizers of the school on the selection of lecturers and on the choice of subjects, Mr. O'Connor pointed out the great benefits to be derived from this type of combined lecture and discussion study.

Mr. O'Connor told a warm tribute to Mr. Y. P. Law, the Inspector of Vernacular Schools, who presided at the meetings on the opening day, and who is shortly to retire after a long career in education.

The Summer School was organized by Mr. M. J. Morahan, S.J., of the staff of the Regional Seminary, who taught English in the school attached to the Aberdeen Fisheries Syndicate during the last year.

The school will last for three days, and consists of morning and afternoon lectures followed by discussion periods.

The speakers on the first day were Professor Ma Kiam, of the Hong Kong University, who spoke on Chinese Literature in Primary Schools, Mr. Li Shi Yee, of the Yau-mat Government School and the Northcote Training College, on Methods of Teaching History and Geography, and Mr. Chan Si Fung of the Chap Shun Middle School, Canton, on the Teaching of Music in Primary Schools.

### Programme

Tomorrow Professor Ma Kiam will be in the chair and the speakers will be Professor Wong Sik Ling, of the Chung Shan University, Canton, on the Chinese Language Problem, and Dr. Quincey Wong on Hygiene.

On Thursday, the closing day of the school, Mr. Yu Wan, Inspector of Vernacular Schools will preside, and the speakers will be the Very Reverend Canon A. Ho, Headmaster of St. Joseph's College, Macao, on the Social Question, and Mr. E. S. K. Ho Tung, whose subject will be the World before the Youth of Today. The school will conclude with a social entertainment on the evening of the last day.

More than thirty attended the opening day's lectures, the teachers coming from seven of the schools in the Aberdeen and Apichau areas. Two visitors at the morning session were Mr. J. Cater, the Officer in Charge of the Hong Kong Fisheries Department, and his assistant Mr. Wu Wei Kee, who has recently returned from an extensive tour of the fishery co-operatives of North Western Europe, in which he included a flying visit to Iceland.

## Personalities

The forthcoming wedding of Cpl. Ernest Bailey, R. F. Station, Kai Tak, to Miss Beryl Jade Wu, Telephoneist, RAF Station, Kai Tak, has been announced.

Latest arrivals from Singapore by BOAC flying-boat are Major F. M. Cunningham, Messrs. Desand, B. St. C. Mackenzie, Eu Keng-hong, Chang Shu-ching, Eu Keng-yuet, Eu Keng-loon, Coss, Rummans, Madame Lee Sow-hong, Madame Lee Siew-shong, Miss Kathleen Yoo Yin.

Mr. Hubert Lal, of the Boys and Girls Clubs Association, will be the guest speaker at the T. H. meeting today at 8.30 p.m. Recently returned from a British Council sponsored tour in England, Mr. Lal will speak on his visits to various Youth Clubs.

Departures from the Peninsula Hotel on Monday included Messrs. R. de Gampier, H. H. Otten, V.T. Armstrong, P. Y. Koo, Captain F. L. Hughes, Captain and Mrs. J. C. Costas, and Rear-Admiral Gardner.

Among the arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Monday were Dr. L. M. Lourie, Messrs. T. J. Evans, F. P. Collyer, H. A. Bates, W. J. Coss, N. R. Rummans, and Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Giles.

Commander W. Kirkwood, Messrs. Lim Tong, Ang Go, Sy Che, Sy Gam, Cossar, Chui and Si Yu arrived in Hong Kong by COA from Manila.



TOP PICTURE shows the sole survivor of the CPA Catalina disaster recuperating in a Macao hospital. Bottom picture is of Mr. S. Chan, second officer on the flying-boat.

## Aircraft Wreck Not Yet Lifted

Divers and diving equipment were flown from Hong Kong to Macao yesterday to assist in salvaging the submerged Catalina flying-boat east of the Portuguese Colony.

Two unsuccessful attempts were made on Monday to lift the wrecked plane. In the course of the salvage work, two bodies floated to the surface.

One of the bodies was identified as that of Dr. Daniel Nelson, whose wife, daughter and son also perished in the plane crash. Total number of bodies recovered by yesterday was eight, four of which have been identified. Wong Yu, the only survivor, is still in hospital.

Mr. S. Chan, of the Macao Air Transport Company, told the "China Mail" yesterday that the plan to lift the flying-boat with the crane, placed on a raft and tow it to Macao.

Whether the subsequent inquiry into the tragedy will be held at Macao or Hong Kong was still undetermined, he said. Mr. Chan said that the funeral arrangements for the dead were being undertaken by the Macao Air Transport Company.

Referring to a Chinese report that one Chinese passenger was carrying 5,000 taels of gold, Mr. Chan said that each passenger was allowed only about 30 pounds of baggage (not 100 pounds as reported previously).

Chinese reports said that two attempts to lift the plane were unsuccessful on Monday. In both instances the rope was disconnected from the plane when it was drawn up.

Other reports said that a Chinese launch fouled and dragged away the buoy that marked the spot where the plane was submerged. As a result, considerable time was wasted on Monday in locating the wreck again.

### FOOD AND FUEL COSTS

Food and Fuel Costs for the week ending last Saturday	
Rice & Flour	7.2 cwt. \$ 4,710
Vegetables	1.2 " 780
Salt Cabbage	2 " 200
Oil	7 " 1,510
Tea	2 " 800
Salt Fish	3 " 630
Pork	4 " 780
Firewood	100 " 700
Bean Curd, 14 pieces	700
Total	\$11,750

## POPULAR MYTHS ON TYPHOONS EXPLODED

Mr. L. Starbuck, Acting Director of the Hong Kong Royal Observatory, exploded some popular myths about typhoons in a talk before Hong Kong Rotary yesterday. Here are some of them.

"Typhoons do not occur outside the typhoon season." They do. They have occurred in every month of the year. It is true there is a maximum frequency of occurrence in August and September, but the May to October myth, about which nonsense has been written, is dangerously misleading, especially to the seaman who is not merely concerned with this point.

The sixth highest wind velocity recorded in Hong Kong was in a November typhoon, outside the so-called season.

"Typhoons, outside of, or early or late in the so-called season are less severe." Wrong. The maximum hourly average wind velocity for each month in which typhoons have caused gales in Hong Kong is remarkably the same, within two or three m.p.h. in fact.

"Thunderstorms preclude the possibility of typhoons." They do not. It is true that the pressure patterns most favourable to these two phenomena are dissimilar, but lightning has frequently been observed in typhoons.

"Typhoon flies mean a storm." Not necessarily. They like sultry conditions, but these occur apart from typhoons.

### In Cycles

"A typhoon year means a wet year." Typhoons, although invariably accompanied by heavy rains at the time appear to have nothing to do with the yearly total. Of 88 typhoons affecting Hong Kong, 34 occurred in years having below average rainfall, and 32 in years having above.

The wettest and driest years on record each had no typhoon. "We haven't had a typhoon this year because we had one last year." There was a bad typhoon in 1936 and the very worst ever occurred the following year, 1937. "Typhoons occur in cycles." Not one that you could recognize. Four typhoons occurred in 17 days in 1894, and three in 10 days in 1887. On the other hand there were none at all for almost four years between 1923 and 1926. The average is rather more than one a year, so we are lucky if we get through the year without at least one blow.

Mr. Starbuck said when he first came out to Hong Kong 13 years

ago he was told by his Director that the only rules about typhoons were there were no rules. He might have been a little embarrassed, but from what the speaker had seen, here he was inclined to agree with this statement.

Every typhoon has to be treated on its merits of damage.

Mr. Starbuck continued: "Confining ourselves now to our own particular region and to our own brand of typhoons, cyclones, typhoons these usually form in the Pacific, well east of the Philippines, pursue WNW track and tend to recurve parabolically early and late in the season of frequency.

"Fortunately we have an admirable outpost in Pratas, which lying ESE of the Colony, is in an excellent situation for indicating course, intensity and speed of travel. In addition to the typhoons, forming east of the Philippines, there are a few irritating specimens which actually start up in the China Sea, in the proportion of about one to four.

"The sad occurrences of 1906—a China Sea typhoon—evoked my sympathy, both for the suffering inhabitants of this Colony and for the loudly criticised Director of the Royal Observatory of that time, who really hadn't a chance.

The figures I am giving you are the results of statistical survey into nearly a thousand typhoons recorded by the Royal Observatory since its inception in 1884. "Of these only three occurred in February, 191 in August and 189 in September. From what I have said about the normal directions of typhoons it will be no surprise to you to learn that of 37 typhoons which gave gale force or greater in Hong Kong from 1884 to 1939, none approached from the NW, 2 from the NE, 3 from the S.W. and 52 from the SE.

## Warning To Extortionists

People who board an excursion vessel which has insufficient life-saving appliances do so at their own risk, the Marine Department said yesterday in a public notice.

The Director of Marine, J. Jolly, said that owners of private yachts and other vessels used solely for pleasure purposes should at all times ensure that they have on board efficient life-saving appliances for the number of passengers carried.

The general public was also warned that they should satisfy themselves that there are sufficient life-saving appliances on board before embarking on excursion vessels.

## Philippine Orchestra Coming

The Municipal Symphony Orchestra of Manila, due in Hong Kong at the end of this month, is expected to give a concert at the China Fleet Club.

Arrangements are at present being made by the Philippine Consulate here for the Club Concert Hall to be requisitioned for the occasion, but the date and time of the performance have not yet been fixed.

The Orchestra, made up of 72 instrumentalists, three soloists and two conductors, will sail from Manila on the General Gordon on July 29 to begin a concert tour which includes Shanghai and Hawaii as well as Hong Kong. The tour was arranged with the help of the United States Embassy.

According to an Associated Press message from Manila, the first concert is arranged for July 31 in Hong Kong, then at Shanghai on August 4, and finally nine concerts at Hawaii, beginning at Honolulu on August 17.

## Co-ed Experiment Successful

St. Paul's College reported the successful completion of three years' post war experiment as a co-educational institution yesterday when it held its annual speech day.

The certificates and prizes were distributed by the Director of Education, Mr. M. G. O'Connor, who congratulated the Headmaster, staff and students on their success, particularly in the matriculation examination. It was a great achievement, he said, considering the setback caused by the war years.

Mr. O'Connor also referred to the work of the Boys' and Girls' Clubs in which the College had taken a keen interest. He urged all those about to leave school not to lose sight of this side of social service.

Sir Robert Kotewall, Chairman of the College Council, was absent due to indisposition, and Sir Shouson Chow, President, presided.

The report of the Headmaster, Mr. E. G. Stewart, read in part: "The school has now completed its third year as a co-educational institution. It is too early yet to say whether this experiment, which was started as an emergency measure during the difficult period of school rehabilitation in 1945, will prove an unqualified success, but it can certainly be said that the results have up to the present proved eminently satisfactory.

Too Many Pupils

The highest monthly enrolment during the year was 1,506, including 830 in the Middle School, 223 in the Primary, and 153 in the Kindergarten. Of the total 58 per cent were boys, a slightly higher percentage than in the previous year.

These numbers are too high. Under present conditions, however it is well-nigh impossible to reduce the numbers. At the commencement of the school year we were able to accommodate only a very small fraction of those who applied

for admission; in one particular class, Class 5, there were 108 applicants for 24 places. In both 1947 and 1948 our Matriculation class was outstanding. Last year 14 candidates passed the Hong Kong Matriculation Examination. In the School Certificate Examination, 19 passed, three with Honours.

In January this year seven candidates passed the Cambridge Local. In the recent Hong Kong Matriculation 35 candidates passed, with a total of 10 Distinctions. Mok Sau-tun having the honour of winning four.

### Prize List

Certificates and prizes were presented to the following students:

Certificates: Class 1.—Chan Hong-ching; Chan Hong-ming; Chan Kail-hem; Chang Yau-min; Chiu Pui-lo; Chow Sik-tung; Fan Shuk-kwan; Ho Fe-yung; Hui Yiu-kia; Leung Shue-ling; Lo Shu-lan; Ma Shiu-lun; Mok Sau-tun; Mok Sau-ree; Shum Loung-seng; Tam Sal-Kit; Tam Wal-han; Tsang Yee-mei; Wong Wal-sun; Rose Woo; Gloria Woo; Yiu Chi-chui; Yeung Ying-yung.

Senior Middle 3.—Chan Foon-lun; Chan King-cheung; Chan Wai-hui; Chan Wing-huen; Fan Man-shuen; Ho Yuen-man; Lam Kwok-lai; Ng Shu-hay Tam Mo-hin; Wong Chi-lun; Yeung Pong-wai; Yeung Tse-ki.

Basketball team, captained by Boys Senior 3.—Kwok Shuen, Boys Junior 1.—Lee King-yuen; Girls—Wong Shu-ling; INTER-HOUSE COMPETITIONS

Boys Senior 1. Black (Yu Shuang-bun); 2. White (Lee King-yuen); Boys Junior 1. Blue (Ho Chi-lun); 2. Yellow (Lee Shing-kun); Girls Senior 1. Yellow (Wong Shu-ling); 2. White (Yeung Chi-Kit); Girls Junior 1. White (Cheng Foon-lun); 2. Black (Wong Way-yue).

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## COMPANIES (RE-CONSTRUCTION OF RECORDS) ORDINANCE 1947.

Re: T. O. WONG & CO., LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above Company has applied to the Registrar pursuant to Sec. 12 of the above Ordinance for leave to re-construct its register of members and that the statutory declaration in support can be inspected in the office of the Registrar of Companies on payment of the prescribed fees. All persons who claim to be entitled to be registered as shareholders of the Company should notify the Company of their full names and addresses, their claim and the evidence upon which it is based WITHIN THREE MONTHS from the 18th day of July, 1948.

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## POLICE NOTICE

It is hereby notified that Pokfulam Road between Queen's Road West and First Street will be closed to Vehicular Traffic from 9 p.m. on Thursday, 22nd July, 1948 until repairs to water mains are completed. Repairs are expected to be completed by 9 a.m. on Friday, 23rd July, 1948.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE. 20th July, 1948.

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## GOVERNMENT REJECTS FIVE-POWER PROPOSAL NOT PREPARED TO START TALKS

London, July 19.

The Government today rejected a suggestion in the House of Commons that it seek a big five conference—including Russia—to deal with the worsening international situation and safeguard peace.

William Warbey, Labour, asked that Britain propose five power consultations "with a view to joint action on behalf of the United Nations organisation for the purpose of maintaining international peace and security."

Such action, he said, would be in accordance with article 106 of the United Nations Charter. Article 106 provides for five power consultations to maintain peace and security if the powers fail to set up an international security force under Article 43 of the Charter.

The five powers involved are Britain, the United States, France, China and Russia.

## Rather Grim

The Foreign Under-Secretary, Mr. Christopher Mayhew, answered Mr. Warbey's proposal with a brief, "No, Sir."

Mr. Warbey insisted: "In view of the fact that the international situation is rather grim, the moment would not be desirable to invoke this somewhat forgotten Article of the Charter?"

Mr. Mayhew replied: "We have no need to demonstrate our desire for peace. We have not forgotten Article 106, but if we cannot get cooperation under Article 43, we see no good purpose in invoking this other Article."

Philip Pirbright, one of the two Communist Members of the House of Commons, suggested that Britain take advantage of Russia's offer to provide supplies for the whole of Berlin.

## Being Considered

Mr. Mayhew replied: "The whole subject is now being considered and I should not like to deal in isolation with that particular point. For one thing, we do not have any evidence that this offer is unconditional."

Mr. Anthony Eden, Deputy Opposition leader, said that the Soviets, "as a little start," might permit Czechoslovakia to send in food that is awaiting delivery.—United Press.

## CONNOISSEURS RELEASED

The Hague, July 19. The Dutch police have released two prominent art connoisseurs detained on charges of illegal transactions in Dutch masters, said to be worth about £250,000. The men were Dr. A. B. de Vries, Director of the Mauritshuis Art Gallery, and the Dutch millionaire art dealer, M. B. Katz. The paintings were said to include two Rembrandts and a Pieter de Hooch.—Reuter.

## SCHOONER AGROUND

London, July 19. The crew of four and the skipper's wife of the schooner Sarah Latham, which went aground off Loughs, Falmouth, were rescued by the lifeboat of Port St. Mary, Isle of Man, this morning.—Reuter.

London, July 19. A sum of £1,900 was reported to have been stolen from the manager's office at the Odeon Theatre, Marble Arch.—Reuter.

## Red Tape Is Strangling Trade

London, July 19.

Sir Patrick Ashley Cooper, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company, declared today that Government red tape is interfering with Britain's overseas trade.

"The inflexible bureaucratic machine, with its myriad regulations and controls, imposes a severe delay on the execution of clients with overseas clients," he said in a report of the Company business for the year ended Jan. 31.

"It is often impossible for United Kingdom traders to take full advantage of fluctuations in price and demand in world markets," Sir Patrick complained.—Associated Press.

## MISSIONARIES ESCAPE FROM TAIWAN

Peiping, July 20.

As the Communist threat to Taiwan mounted, four American and 10 British Protestant missionaries made their escape by plane to Peiping yesterday.

The Americans are Nurse Emma Noren of Brainerd, Minnesota; Nurse Mary Dewor of East Orange, N. J.; Louis McBride (no United States address registered) and Gladys Williams of Oberlin, Ohio.

The missionaries said that 15 German nationals came out with them. The Germans were employed as the technicians by Yen Hsi-shan.

The British missionaries evacuated, all of the Baptist Mission Society, were Dr. and Mrs. Henry Stockley of Croydon, H. W. Elliot of London, Dr. Peter Jenkins of Bristol, John Henderson-Smith of Warwick, Miss Malby of Lincolnshire, Mr. and Mrs. John Mudd of Lancaster, Mrs. L. N. Lewis of London and Dr. Nancy Bywaters. According to the missionaries, all Germans evacuated on Monday are now hiding from repatriation and under Yen Hsi-shan's protection.—United Press.

## TERRORIST SCHOOL TRAINEES

Madrid, July 19. Sargasso police have arrested 13 men alleged to be Communist trained at a "terrorist school" at Toulouse, in southern France. The men had a store of machine guns and explosives.

The arrests, like others recently in the district around Madrid, were said to be connected with the terrorist outrages planned for yesterday, the Spanish national holiday.—Reuter.

## SEEING FOR HIMSELF

London, July 19. Mr. Alfred Roberts, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Fuel, is sailing from the Tyne to London in a collier to see for himself how London gas undertakings get coal from the north-west.—Reuter.

## HK REGISTERED SHIP HAS CREW TROUBLE

London, July 19. A cryptic message received in London today reported an attack on the Chief Officer of the 5,100-ton British steamer Hellenic Trader during a voyage from Middlesbrough to Repel, Sierra Leone.

The Hellenic Trader is owned by the China Hellenic Lines Ltd., and is registered at Hong Kong. The message, received by the London agents for the owners, stated: "Having crew trouble. Chief Officer attacked with marlin-spike. Will put into port if further trouble occurs and am informing Admiralty."

It came from Captain Ernest Scott. At the Admiralty tonight, a spokesman said no message had been received from the ship, which has an all-British crew of 52.—Reuter.

## POST OFFICE MAIL NOTICE

Outward Mails

Until further notice Parcel Post Service to the Province of Henan, China, is suspended.

Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcel Post close 30 minutes earlier than the Ordinary Mail. Mail close before 10 a.m. Registered and Parcel close at 5 p.m. on previous day.

Mails are closed at Kowloon Central Post Office half an hour earlier than the G.P.O. closing time.

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Amoy via Swatow, 3 p.m.  
Macao and Tientsin, 4 p.m.  
Kowloon (via Canton), 5 p.m.  
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## CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"We've tried a lot of things, so why not spray this stuff around? It's guaranteed to attract men!"

## BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay

The Authority on Authority

WHAT YOU HOPE MOST  
When the auction is about to begin, your first hope should be that one of the opponents will give you a chance for a business double which will penalize them more points than ever could be scored by having your side furnish the declarer. The opportunity for such a double occurs more frequently because of an unwise or unfortunate overcall of the opening bid than through any other development. The first action to be considered by the partner of the opening bidder should therefore be to double the overcall, and he should proceed to make a bid instead only if the double does not appear promising.

Then a storm blew from the North, which at first South could not understand.  
"Why in blazes didn't you double his 1-No Trump?" demanded South's partner. "We look for tricks with you as declarer and could easily have done the same with him playing the hand. If we did, we would have set him four tricks at his 1-No Trump, giving us 1,100 points. Even if we mislaid the defense we would have beaten him three tricks positively to score 300, much better than a game score."

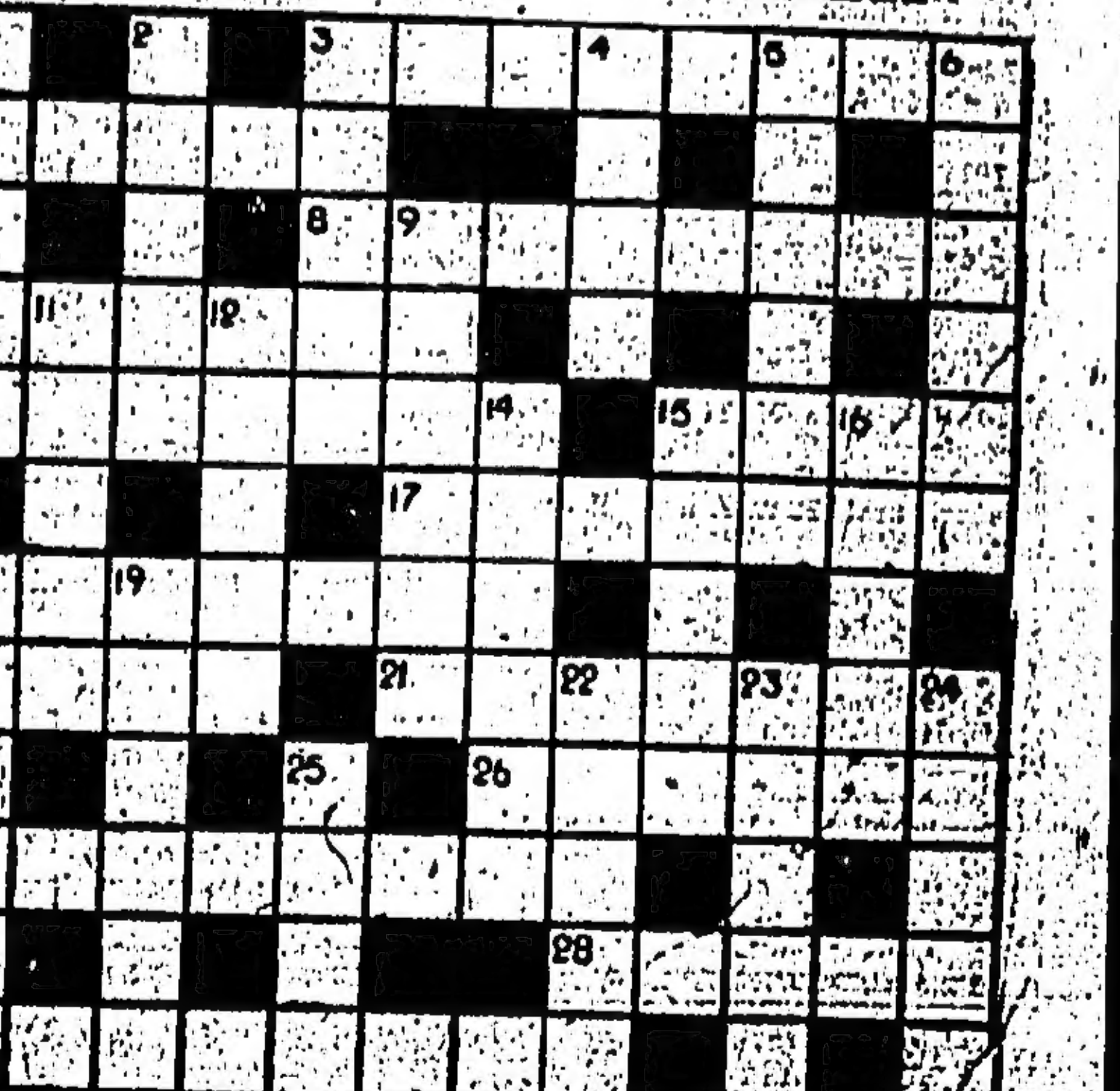
North was exactly right. South should have doubled with great glees. He did not have to fear that East had some one solid suit he could run; plus more diamond stoppers in every suit, with an original bid hand opposite him.

Tomorrow's Problem  
S. 5. 3. 2. N. 5. 7. 4.  
H. 5. 7. 3. 2. H. K. 10-6.  
D. 10. 2. W. D. Q. 7. 8.  
C. K. 9. 6. 5. C. A. 10. 5.  
S. Q. J. 10. 6.  
H. A. 6. 4.  
D. K. J. 8.  
C. Q. J. 3.

(Dealer: West. Both sides vulnerable.)  
West North East South  
Pass 1 D 1 NT 2 S  
Pass 3 S Pass 3 NT  
South thought very well of himself when he managed to make his game plus an extra trick after West led the club 6. The declarer got one trick in that suit, four in spades, two in hearts and three in diamonds by playing East for every outstanding honour, and the defenders scored nothing except three tricks in clubs.

What should happen in the bidding of this pair duplicate deal, following an opener of 1 Spade by West?

## A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Clues Across  
3 Outlived. 20 Press. 21 Lasting. 22 Continues. 23 Bids. 24 Piece of covering. 25 Piece of furniture. 26 Calf skin. 27 (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (k) (l) (m) (n) (o) (p) (q) (r) (s) (t) (u) (v) (w) (x) (y) (z) (aa) (ab) (ac) (ad) (ae) (af) (ag) (ah) (ai) (aj) (ak) (al) (am) (an) (ao) (ap) (aq) (ar) (as) (at) (au) (av) (aw) (ax) (ay) (az) (ba) (bb) (bc) (bd) (be) (bf) (bg) (bh) (bi) (bj) (bk) (bl) (bm) (bn) (bo) (bp) (bq) (br) (bs) (bt) (bu) (bv) (bw) (bx) (by) (bz) (ca) (cb) (cc) (cd) (ce) (cf) (cg) (ch) (ci) (cj) (ck) (cl) (cm) (cn) (co) (cp) (cq) (cr) (cs) (ct) (cu) (cv) (cw) (cx) (cy) (cz) (da) (db) (dc) (dd) (de) (df) (dg) (dh) (di) (dj) (dk) (dl) (dm) (dn) (do) (dp) (dq) (dr) (ds) (dt) (du) (dv) (dw) (dx) (dy) (dz) (ea) (eb) (ec) (ed) (ee) (ef) (eg) (eh) (ei) (ej) (ek) (el) (em) (en) (eo) (ep) (eq) (er) (es) (et) (eu) (ev) (ew) (ex) (ey) (ez) (fa) (fb) (fc) (fd) (fe) (ff) (fg) (fh) (fi) (fj) (fk) (fl) (fm) (fn) (fo) (fp) (fq) (fr) (fs) (ft) (fu) (fv) (fw) (fx) (fy) (fz) (ga) (gb) (gc) (gd) (ge) (gf) (gg) (gh) (gi) (gj) (gk) (gl) (gm) (gn) (go) (gp) (gq) (gr) (gs) (gt) (gu) (gv) (gw) (gx) (gy) (gz) (ha) (hb) (hc) (hd) (he) (hf) (hg) (hh) (hi) (hj) (hk) (hl) (hm) (hn) (ho) (hp) (hq) (hr) (hs) (ht) (hu) (hv) (hw) (hx) (hy) (hz) (ia) (ib) (ic) (id) (ie) (if) (ig) (ih) (ii) (ij) (ik) (il) (im) (in) (io) (ip) (iq) (ir) (is) (it) (iu) (iv) (iw) (ix) (iy) (iz) (ja) (jb) (jc) (jd) (je) (jf) (jg) (jh) (ji) (jj) (jk) (jl) (jm) (jn) (jo) (jp) (jq) (jr) (js) (jt) (ju) (jv) (jw) (jx) (jy) (jz) (ka) (kb) (kc) (kd) (ke) (kf) (kg) (kh) (ki) (kj) (kl) (km) (kn) (ko) (kp) (kq) (kr) (ks) (kt) (ku) (kv) (kw) (kx) (ky) (kz) (la) (lb) (lc) (ld) (le) (lf) (lg) (lh) (li) (lj) (lk) (ll) (lm) (ln) (lo) (lp) (lq) (lr) (ls) (lt) (lu) (lv) (lw) (lx) (ly) (lz) (ma) (mb) (mc) (md) (me) (mf) (mg) (mh) (mi) (mj) (mk) (ml) (mm) (mn) (mo) (mp) (mq) (mr) (ms) (mt) (mu) (mv) (mw) (mx) (my) (mz) (na) (nb) (nc) (nd) (ne) (nf) (ng) (nh) (ni) (nj) (nk) (nl) (nm) (nn) (no) (np) (nq) (nr) (ns) (nt) (nu) (nv) (nw) (nx) (ny) (nz) (oa) (ob) (oc) (od) (oe) (of) (og) (oh) (oi) (oj) (ok) (ol) (om) (on) (oo) (op) (oq) (or) (os) (ot) (ou) (ov) (ow) (ox) (oy) (oz) (pa) (pb) (pc) (pd) (pe) (pf) (pg) (ph) (pi) (pj) (pk) (pl) (pm) (pn) (po) (pp) (pq) (pr) (ps) (pt) (pu) (pv) (pw) (px) (py) (pz) (qa) (qb) (qc) (qd) (qe) (qf) (qg) (qh) (qi) (qj) (qk) (ql) (qm) (qn) (qo) (qp) (qq) (qr) (qs) (qt) (qu) (qv) (qw) (qx) (qy) (qz) (ra) (rb) (rc) (rd) (re) (rf) (rg) (rh) (ri) (rj) (rk) (rl) (rm) (rn) (ro) (rp) (rq) (rr) (rs) (rt) (ru) (rv) (rw) (rx) (ry) (rz) (sa) (sb) (sc) (sd) (se) (sf) (sg) (sh) (si) (sj) (sk) (sl) (sm) (sn) (so) (sp) (sq) (sr) (ss) (st) (su) (sv) (sw) (sx) (sy) (sz) (ta) (tb) (tc) (td) (te) (tf) (tg) (th) (ti) (tj) (tk) (tl) (tm) (tn) (to) (tp) (tq) (tr) (ts) (tt) (tu) (tv) (tw) (tx) (ty) (tz) (ua) (ub) (uc) (ud)



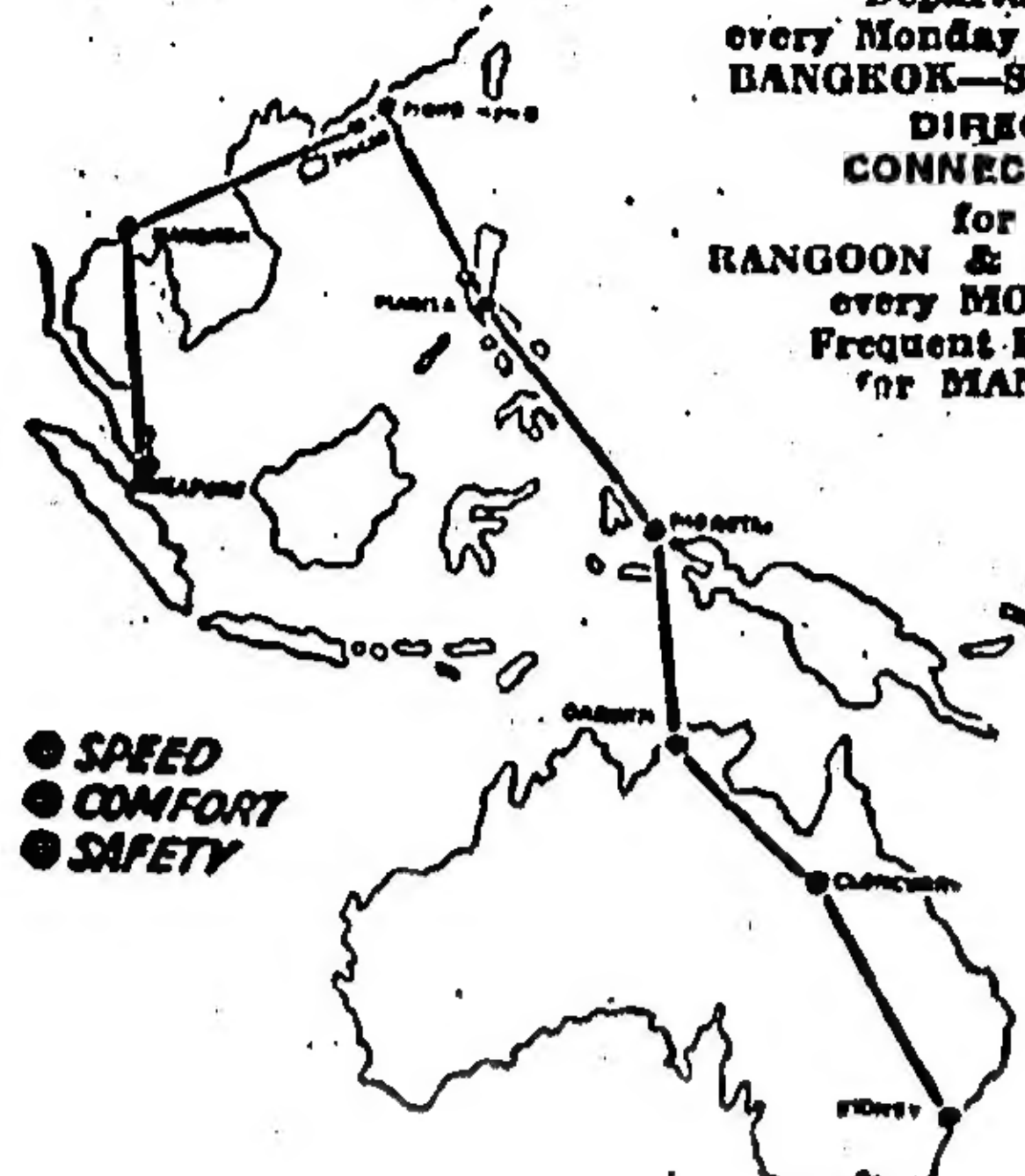




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## BERLIN CRISIS

That there will be no war despite the deepened gravity of the Berlin crisis is a reasonably safe assumption. The danger is there, without a doubt, but, as Mr. Shinwell put it, nobody wants to fire the first shot. The main thing is the determination of the Western Allies to remain in Berlin, and while they continue to insist upon that, and take all the necessary measures to make it physically possible, there is every prospect of a satisfactory outcome.

One thing is sure. A Western climb-down would bring instant and bigger demands from Russia. These would have to be resisted by force of arms. Appeasement would mean inevitable war. Therefore, we cannot back down.

Can the Russians? For them it would not be so difficult because they have left avenues of escape. The "technical hitches" which were their excuse for isolating Berlin can be overcome. Nevertheless, they would not find it easy to retract, for the Politburo have dug their toes in. They have lost a good deal of face over Yugoslavia, and they cannot afford to lose much more.

So we have these two combinations face to face, growing at each other, refusing to budge. Yet neither wants war—and neither can wish the stalemate to endure. How long can the Western Powers maintain the air shuttle service to Berlin? It may be interrupted for days perhaps weeks, by bad weather. There could be accidents, leading to an outcry at home.

Such a gigantic effort as this can be and has been, maintained in war "through hell and high water," but it is different in peace—especially when nations are straining themselves to feed ex-enemies. The West cannot carry this burden for ever. On the Russian side there is the haunting knowledge that the "cold war" has gone against them. It is, therefore, a vital interest of both sides to end the deadlock. What can be done when the lines have been drawn and the troops face each other across "No Man's Land"?

There is such a thing as talking across the lines—and the time has come to try it. Nobody wants a repetition of Molotov's irrelevancies at another interminable Foreign Ministers' Conference. But a talk at an even higher level on this one specific problem of Berlin might melt the ice. There is not much else left. One thing is clear. There must be no appeasement, no second Munich. If genuine concessions can be made by both sides—well and good. But Britain will not pay totalitarian blackmail, for the second time in ten years. But all this has to be made crystal clear to the Kremlin. The situation is such that in protests and counter-measures, the harder the Western Powers hit, the quicker they act, the better it will be. Already there has been too much indecision, too many half-measures, too many delays in getting agreement on action. We should plan our next move before awaiting the reply to the first.

# DON IDDON'S DIARY

## The Natural Sequel To The First July Fourth

After the Declaration of Independence, the insistence on independence, the insistence on Seventeen—seventy—six, and Thomas Jefferson have been taken at George III.

This is the great pageant and holiday of the American year, a time of festal and fireworks, ringing of bells, and general jubilation.

But this week there has been a difference. The emphasis has not been on national sovereignty, Old Glory so much as on a world community and the United States' place in it.

For perhaps the first time the country formally has abandoned acknowledged its bond to all free nations everywhere.

This has been the coming-of-age, the natural sequel to the first July the Fourth.

The news from Europe, of course, has influenced the oratory and changed the direction of the parade. There has been a harsh challenge from Russia, and the U.S. knows that she alone cannot meet it.

### Noble Words

So there have been noble words about Anglo-American solidarity, generous references to British and American teamwork in Berlin, and shouts of "All together, lads, to halt the Russians!"

It is a loud chorus and melodious. Probably it is the right rallying song. But I cannot help noting in the front row and singing loudest are the same men who were damning us only a few weeks ago for our policy in Palestine.

These characters have slipped out different music books. Yesterday we were acrobats and villains, but today we are brave partners and staunch friends.

Mr. Bevin, the bad man of the Holy Land, becomes the hero of Berlin. The British soldier, branded as a concentration camp guard in Jerusalem, is the stalwart defender of freedom in the German capital.

Few countries are more volatile in their emotions than this. This eagerness to swallow whole rumours of enormous rents in the Curia is hardly adult. The facts of international life are rarely so midnight black or sheerser snow white. We should watch for the greys, the half-tones, and the shadings.

### Election

New York is endeavouring to do this as far as the Presidential election is concerned. It does not say President Truman is no good; it merely announces, through its mayor, William O'Dwyer, that perhaps a better man is available as Democratic candidate.

One result of the entire involved business is further humiliation of the President. He is made to look more pathetic every day. His only comment on the latest development in "General Eisenhower" is an honourable man, meaning he was sure Eisenhower would not run.

It would be much better if Mr. Truman met the rebels in his party and sat down and faced the unpleasant music.

The metropolis is pretty confused all round. Its mayor, opening fire on Truman, is also directing shots at all the old politicians and calling for the execution of Tammany, the graft-ridden Democratic organisation.

The cost of living has now reached an all-time high crisis still climbing. Everything is going up, including the temperature. After weeks of rain the sun has come out, blistering and scorching the city with a 90-degree heat.

I have rarely known it hotter and have gratefully accepted a cottage in Oyster Bay, Long Island, for a few weeks.

### Women's Fashions

Here the women's fashions would surprise you. The strapping, sun-tanned girls walk about the village wearing white shirts, which are rolled up to the knee. The shirt tails, hanging over the trousers, dangle and dance in the breeze.

It is not feminine. It is slacker and sluttish, but the girl with the boyish figure can get away with it.

The Don't Buy British campaign has flopped completely. Demand for British goods, particularly textiles, leather, and silver, exceeds the supply.

Sudden thoughts—Whoever works with the Communists ends by sealing red or being it. It looks like iron curtains for Tito. In Hollywood and along Broadway it is King Arthur (Rank) who is the hero.

The very people who were fawning around Britain's entertainment czar like spaniels only a few months ago are now plotting to bring about his abdication. I am afraid they do not understand the Yorkshireman. Rank, from what I know of him, is the fighter. The more threats, the sadder the more resolute Rank will become.

There is no personal animosity in all this. As American showmen see him, Rank is the most formidable challenger to their dominance. He has made not only them but the entire country conscious of British films and stars.

### "Hamlet"

I like to see us on the offensive, and if we can turn out more pictures like "Hamlet" we

can hardly miss. It has been previewed here and is receiving the most glowing praise.

Television strides on to new triumphs. Now 20th Century-Fox is emulating Paramount and plans full screen theatre television in 1,000 cinemas. The Louis-Walcott fight, while a prize-fighting flop, was a television hit.

Myrna Loy and her husband, Gene Markey, have formed their own film company and will leave soon for England for an Alexander Korda production, "The Case of Lady Brooke."

George Raft has announced his retirement from the screen. His bitter quarrel with Edward G. Robinson continues. They never speak.

Eddie Cantor plans a European trip and expects to see King Christian of Denmark to thank him for what he did for the Jews. Cantor picks Chaplin as the greatest comedian of all time.

Chaplin, by the way, has got much fatter, and has put on at least two stone.

Every studio here is bidding for Jean Simmons, but London probably won't let her go. Bogart particularly wants her as his co-star.

### Academy Awards

Film people who have seen the newsmagazine of the Daily Mail Film Award say it is superior to the Academy presentations here. Certainly the statues are as solid silver as against plastic.

Hollywood is making a great fuss about Sir Ralph Richardson and also of his wife. She has signed to play a role in "The Fan."

All the trouble about Palestine and the British film quota is not preventing studios here from seeking the signatures of our top talent.

Footnote to the Presidential campaign: A politician thinks of the next election; a statesman of the next generation.

New York, July 19. What became of a third atom bomb the United States sent to the Pacific theatre in the last weeks of the war?

Rear Admiral Ellis Zacharias, a retired former Naval Intelligence officer, disclosed in a broadcast last night that a third bomb was sent to the Pacific in a destroyer that never reached its destination.

The vessel was en route to Tinian Island in the Marianas when it disappeared.

Adm. Zacharias said he would tell the story of this in detail in his next broadcast on July 27.

In Washington, the Navy Department denied Zacharias' story. "No Navy ship carrying an atomic bomb ever disappeared," an official statement said.

A Navy spokesman said Adm. Zacharias may have been referring to the cruiser Indianapolis which was sunk by a Japanese submarine en route to the Philippines.

The Indianapolis had carried one unexploded atomic bomb and is believed to have carried the second to Tinian where both were assembled before being dropped on Japan.—Associated Press.

## CURRENCY REFORM IN CHINA

Shanghai, July 20. Mr. O.K. Yui, Governor of the Central Bank of China, told the press that currency reform had been under consideration by the Government for the past four years, but that such a move would require careful preparations.

He pointed out that the Government has drawn up an overall plan for minimizing inflation and stabilizing commodity prices. In addition, he asserted, United States aid supplies could be used as capital for boosting production as a means of self-help.

Referring to the flight of capital to Hong Kong, Dr. Yui said the Ministry of Foreign Affairs had taken the matter up with the Hong Kong Government.

He also revealed that the Central Bank has drawn up a set of concrete measures to encourage overseas remittances and exports. These measures will be enforced as soon as they have been approved by the Government, he added.—Reuter.

# JACK JONES GETS 'EM CRACKING

By GRAHAM STANFORD

Is this the man to make Britain work harder? John Henry Jones, M.P., aged 63, "Jack Jones" in the House of Commons to every one from Winston Churchill to "Willie" Gallacher—is preaching a new doctrine in the factories of Britain.

He is telling the workers to "stop griping about the bosses and get down to work"; he is advising the "bosses" that they, too, should stop "slandering the workers" and "take off their coats."

And somehow it seems to work. Whenever Jack Jones returns from a tour of the factories and the mines, he appears to rise. One Manchester factory reported last week that production had increased by 14 per cent since a Jones "personal appearance."

Mr. Jones is a Labour M.P. for the Bolton constituency and Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Supply at £1,500 a year. For 10 years before entering Parliament he earned £18 a week on piecework as a steelworker.

He has been called the "Churchill of Industry," "Britain's Best Ambassador in America," and "A Breath of Fresh Air from the Blast Furnaces."

Why these names? What has he got that is missing in other Labour leaders?

Watch Jones—broadly built, blue-eyes, with a Churchillian eye to his jaw—going through a Midland works. His eyes dart along the lines of machines; then at the clock. Ten minutes later he is addressing the workers: "What's going on here?" says in his broad Lancashire accent. "We just been through the works and I've seen a couple of hundred of you chaps knocking off seven minutes early."

200 Times Seven  
"That means Britain has lost 200 times seven minutes' production. You'd be the first to run to your union if they took that out of your pay-packet."

And, a little later, to members of the management: "I'm not quite satisfied that all of you are going 'flat out'."

Jones was given his job at the Ministry of Supply because, as an old steelworker himself, he, if any man, knew what makes a British worker tick.

Since taking the job last year he has visited nearly 80 different factories and works in Wales, East and West Riding, the North Midlands and Midlands areas, and travelled nearly 2,000 miles. Now he is packing his bags for a trip to Scotland.

This roughly, is what he says to the men and the management: To the men: "We must export or die. It's up to you because you make the goods for export. Now don't grumble that if you work harder the boss will make more money."

To the management: "Cripps will see to that. In any case, you yourself will be doing better—I know—because I'm a steelworker. Thrust out your problems at the Joint Production Councils with the management. Don't grumble among yourselves. To the management: "Take the chaps into your confidence!"

## PROPOSALS FOR INDONESIA

Batavia, July 19. The resolution of the non-Republican Indonesian Conference at Bandoeng, West Java, for a Dutch-Republican settlement, will probably not be handed to the Republicans until the end of this week, it was learned from well informed sources today.

These sources expected the resolution to be discussed by the Indonesian Provisional Federal Government here before being given to the Republican Government.

Earlier reports had said a copy would be given to the Republicans today and a copy had already been handed to Dr. Hubertus Van Mook, the Dutch Lieutenant-Governor-General, to be forwarded to the Dutch Government at The Hague.

The same sources said the Bandoeng Conference decided to go ahead with its proposals, provided the Dutch Government was willing to consider the resolution—even if the Republican Government refused to accept the suggestion.

Republican sources in Batavia said today the Republican Government would be unwilling to consider any proposals which meant by-passing the Dutch-Republican Conference, now being held under the auspices of the Security Council's good offices committee.

According to authoritative sources, the Bandoeng resolution proposes the creation of a Presidential Triumvirate for an interim period while the Republican Government is established. The triumvirate would retain sovereignty and be empowered to veto decisions of the Triumvirate.

The present Provisional Government at Batavia would act merely as an Executive Body while a two-chamber Parliament was to be established.

Well informed sources said the proposals had a good reception in Batavia.—Reuter.

make 'em see that they're part of the works. Remember that a lot of them got a raw deal in the past and they're still sore. You've got to overcome that suspicion. One of the best ways is by putting your back into it yourself."

Wherever he is, Jack Jones always says what he thinks, and sometimes it hurts. At one meeting of the workers he said: "Tackle those nit-wits who go about beating the drum; those Left Wing, jumped-up idiots who don't know the first thing about constitutional democracy."

When I saw Jones at the Ministry of Supply office, he said: "Where's the sense in all this bickering. We've all got to live and work together if we're going to get anywhere."

## GENERAL PERSHING BURIED

Washington, July 19.

Tens of thousands of persons stood bare-headed in the rain to pay their last respects as General John J. Pershing, who led American troops to victory in the first world war, was laid to rest today at Arlington National Cemetery, near Washington, surrounded by the graves of men he commanded from the jungles of the Philippines to the borders of Imperial Germany.

Somewhere near half a million people lined the streets of Washington to see General Pershing's coffin driven by a perfectly matched gray horses through a downpour of rain from the nation's Capitol to the peaceful cemetery.

The funeral cortege was a mile long. To the throb of muffled drums and the strains of haunting marches, it marched the whole four and a third miles to the cemetery.

Behind the caisson carrying the flag-draped coffin walked a file of black horses, in front stretched a long line of motorised and foot units from every branch of the American armed forces.

A cover of jet planes shuttled continuously back and forth above the long procession as it moved slowly along.

Almost every present and former high ranking army general attended, including General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Omar Bradley and George Marshall.

A salute of 18 guns boomed out as the procession slowly ascended the last steep hill at Arlington. The services were brief and simple.—Associated Press.

## Mrs Carlson Joins Wallace

Portland, July 20.

Leaders of the Progressive Party in Oregon announced today that the widow of Marine Brigadier General Evans F.S. Carlson, Pacific war hero, would run for Congress from Oregon on the Third Party ticket.

They said Mrs. Carlson will be nominated formally at the congressional district convention to be held at an unannounced date.

The opening session of the Wallace-Taylor party convention in Oregon began here on Saturday with a resolution supporting Harry Bridges' International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union chair, "in any lock-out or strike that may develop after September 2, 1948."

About 150 persons gathered beneath a large tent, while a blue portrait of Wallace swung behind the speakers.

Chairman Nels Peterson, Portland labor attorney, opened the convention by denouncing the "old" parties here, known for the needs of the people.—United Press.



# CONFAB ON BERLIN

## Truman Confers With Cabinet Consultations On New Note To The Kremlin

Washington, July 19.

As all coal stocks in the Western sectors of Berlin were frozen this morning as the Soviet blockade of these areas continued to worsen the already serious shortages there, American determination to stay in Berlin and to continue to air-lift supplies into the beleaguered zones was re-affirmed following a meeting between President Truman and Mr. George Marshall today.

During the conference, which lasted 30 minutes, Mr. Marshall informed the President of the latest developments in Berlin and, directly afterwards, Mr. Truman conferred with Cabinet members.

They included the Secretary for Defence, Mr. James Forrestal, the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Robert Lovett, the Secretary for the Army, Mr. Kenneth Royall, and the Assistant Secretary for the Army, Mr. William Draper, who recently arrived in Washington from Berlin.

A Government spokesman declared, after the conference, that the attitude of the United States towards Berlin was unchanged. He added that consultations regarding a new demarche to Moscow were still proceeding among the United States, British and French Governments.

Sources close to the State Department declared today that Mr. Truman and Mr. Marshall discussed the Berlin situation in the light of two main considerations—the United States' desire to exhaust all possibilities to break the deadlock by diplomatic and political means; and to proceed in such a way that the Soviets would, unquestionably, be responsible in the event of any incidents, such as a collision between American and Russian planes.

The same sources stressed the fact that attempts to force the blockade of Berlin were entirely out of the picture for the time being.

### New Demarche

The United States' position concerning Berlin was stated to be as follows: The United States will continue to air-lift supplies and will not leave Berlin, whatever pressure is exerted by the Soviets. The United States is preparing a new demarche to Moscow on Berlin.

If there are any new incidents, the Soviets will be responsible. Observers here believed that there is a difference of views between American political leaders in Washington and American military chiefs in Germany as to the latter's attitude about the what to do if and when the weather deteriorates to such an extent as to make the air-lift of supplies impossible while the former desire that Moscow should unmistakably be the aggressor if the air-lift is interfered with.

It is pointed out here that any attempt to force the blockade by land would be branded by Moscow as aggression.

### Yaks In Berlin

Meanwhile a flight of Russian Yak fighter planes arrived in Berlin from the Soviet zone of Germany today and did a bit of aerobatics as they passed over the British field in the German capital. A British official said Russian authorities had notified the four power air control centre some time earlier that the Yaks would be flying into the Berlin area. He said they did not interfere with Allied air-lift operations into the Soviet blockaded city. There were two versions of what the Russian pilots did as they passed over Gatow airport, the British base.

American officers reported that a formation of 12 Yaks appeared and that two of them swept down to "buzz" the field. They also said the two fighters then zoomed upward and made a "belly pass" at an American C-54 transport plane passing the field.

The US officers expressed the opinion that the Russians had mistaken the British field for their own, which is only about six miles away.

### Track Torn Up

A British official said that between eight and 10 Yaks flew over Gatow "doing rolls." He said a short time before a single Russian fighter flew "in the vicinity" of an American C-54 which was passing the field. He said it did not make a mock attack on the US plane.

The French flagged newspaper *Der Kurier* reported today that ten miles of track between Magdeburg and Marienborn, on the railway line formerly used by the Western

## BERLIN NOT NO. 1 NEWS IN MOSCOW

From outward appearances the Berlin situation is creating no excitement whatever in Moscow.

The press today made no reference to the meeting of the Western Powers' Military Governors.

Pravda published a despatch from London—quoting ADN and Reuters—to the effect that there is still a stretch on the railway line linking Berlin and the British zone which needs repairing.

The message added that repairs are going on at "rapid tempo".

While the Russian press has taken a serious view of the German situation as a whole, particularly the six Power decision on Western Germany, it has never taken a gloomy view of the Berlin situation.

Pronouncements in London and Washington of a grave situation in world affairs brought on by Berlin have not been repeated nor reflected in Moscow.

The view here seems to be that some progress could be made on the entire situation. The Russian people realise the situation is serious but there is no alarmist talk here now.

Publication of the Russian reply to the American, British and French notes on Berlin caused considerable stir and comment, but it appears to have died down.

## Coal Board Profits

London, July 19. The National Coal Board announced tonight that it had made an estimated profit of more than £200,000 on the operation of the nationalised coal industry during the first quarter of this year.

The announcement came a few days after the disclosure that the industry had lost £23,200,000 during the first year of nationalisation—*Reuters*.

## WAR WITH RUSSIA -- IF

Wichita, Kansas, July 19.

The Secretary of the Interior Julius Krug, said today there will be war with Russia if she continues to believe that she can overrun other countries.

Krug said, "But we still have a chance to make Russia see the light. Our only hope for a permanent peace is to have the country so strong that the Russians will not dare make a move of aggression."

"Recent developments in Berlin demonstrate this Government's wisdom in reopening the draft. The draft is vitally necessary for the nucleus of the armed services."—*United Press*.

## GERMAN REDS DISCARD HAMMER AND SICKLE

Munich, July 20.

The Communist party of Southern Germany will abandon the Russian red star and the hammer and sickle as its emblem in what looks like an attempt to persuade the public that it does its own thinking, independent of Moscow.

Further, a party spokesman said, it does not intend to be linked with the Cominform. This development was announced by Hugo Erlich, deputy chairman of Bavaria's Communist, who said:

"We are a German party. We stand for German interests. The abandonment of the Soviet star and the hammer and sickle shall make it clear that we haven't any dealings with the Soviet Union. As a German party we haven't any connection with Moscow."

American Military Government officials and leaders of other German parties were sceptical of the Communist plans. Albert Schweizer, head of the political activities division in Bavaria, said he had been told the Communists intended to go underground in Bavaria and this might be one way of doing it. Other Allied authorities said the Communists may merely be trying to win more votes and support.—*Associated Press*.

## Three Military Governors Meet In Berlin

### French Hesitant On West German State

Berlin, July 19.

The Military Governors for Western Germany announced today that they had agreed to meet the German Ministers-President on Tuesday in Frankfurt to discuss their counter-proposals to Allied plans for a West German state.

In the background, meanwhile, according to reliable sources, was a growing hesitancy by the French to push the plans through—a reluctance increased by the tension between East and West.

A conference with the eleven Ministers-President of the British, American and French zones was postponed last week at the request of the French.

After today's four-hour session of the Military Governors, high American officials said that Tuesday's meeting "will have nothing to do with any final action" on the proposed West German Government.

The Military Governors "will try to get a clarification from the Ministers-President of their proposals," these officials said.

Gen. Lucius D. Clay and Gen. Pierre Koenig met the British Military Governor, Gen. Sir Brian Robertson, at the latter's headquarters in Berlin.

Before the meeting at which the German proposals were examined, reliable Allied sources said one aim was to overcome French reluctance to establish the envisaged West German state. This would exist in fact if not in name even under the German proposals.

### German Fears

Today's official statement on the meeting said no other subjects such as the Soviet blockade of Berlin were discussed. The three Commanders first presented the Allied plans for a Western German state to the German zonal heads about a month ago. This was followed

on July 8 by German counter-proposals.

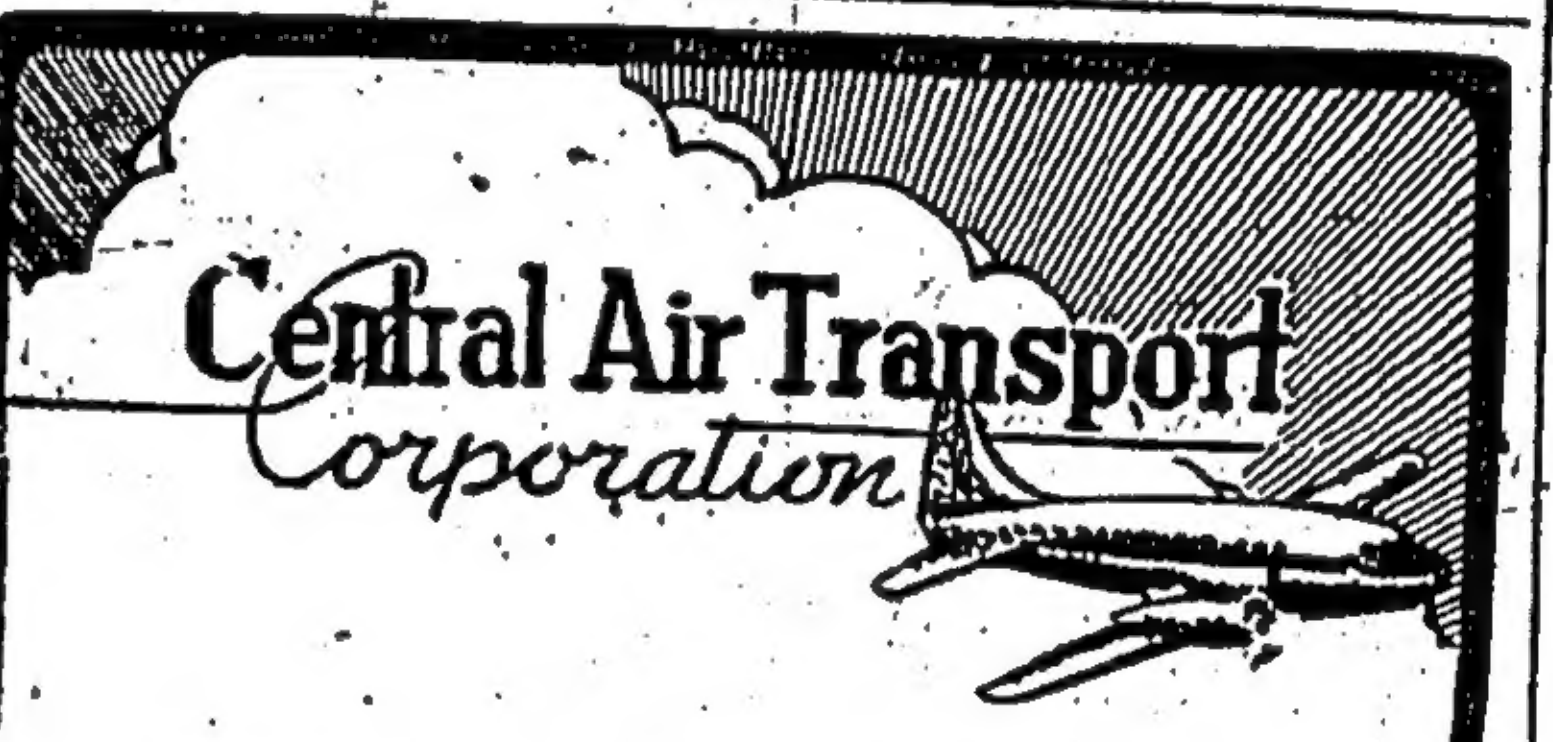
German leaders said their proposals, reached at a conference in the French zone city of Coblenz, arose out of fears that they would be accused of "splitting Germany" by carrying through plans for a Western Germany.

As a result they proposed a weaker version of the London recommendations substituting a West German executive committee for a Government and an organisational or administrative statute for a constitution.

A report published abroad that the United States asked Britain and France at the meeting to join a forcible breaking of the Berlin blockade was denied tonight by both General Lucius D. Clay's office and official British sources.

The report was not carried by the Associated Press.

It was pointed out that such a move would be a governmental matter which could not be handled at this level. An official British statement said "the Berlin situation was not included in the agenda for the meeting between the three Western Allied Governors in Berlin today. The discussion held did not include any aspect of the Berlin situation or any additional method of overcoming the blockade."—*Associated Press*.



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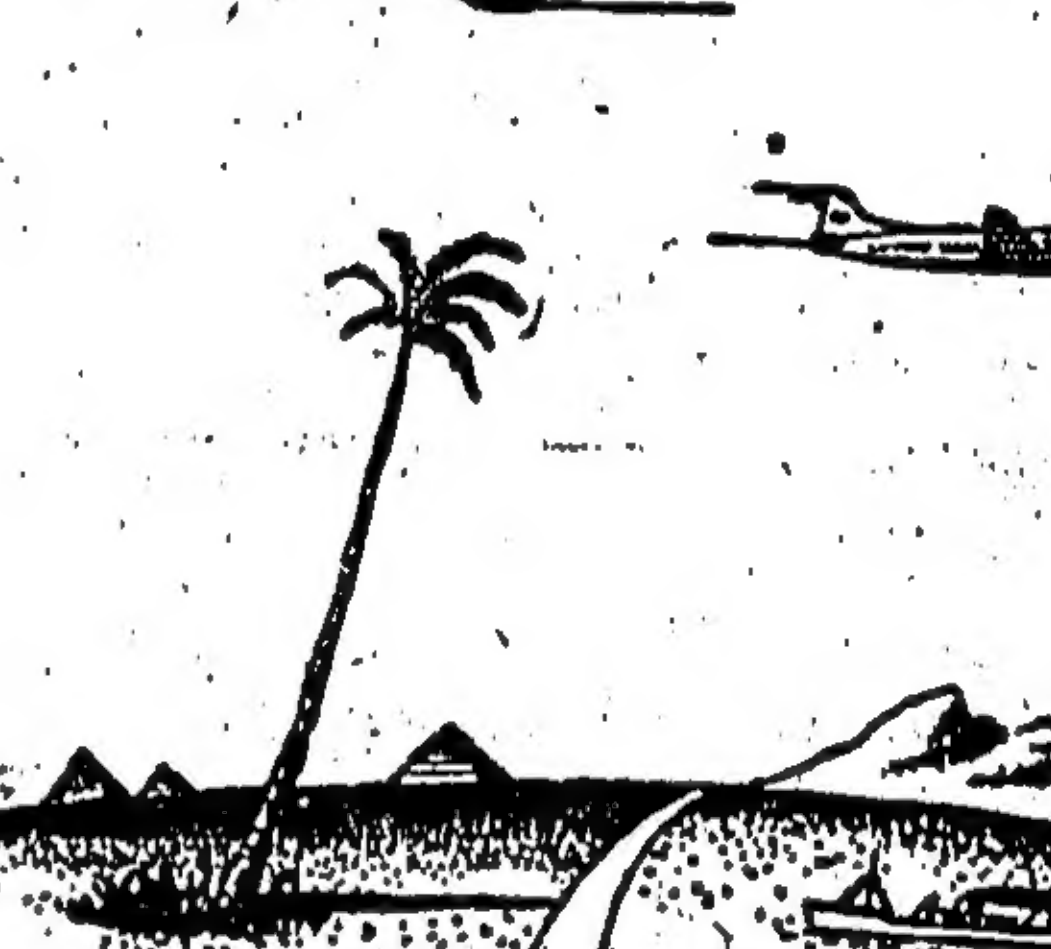
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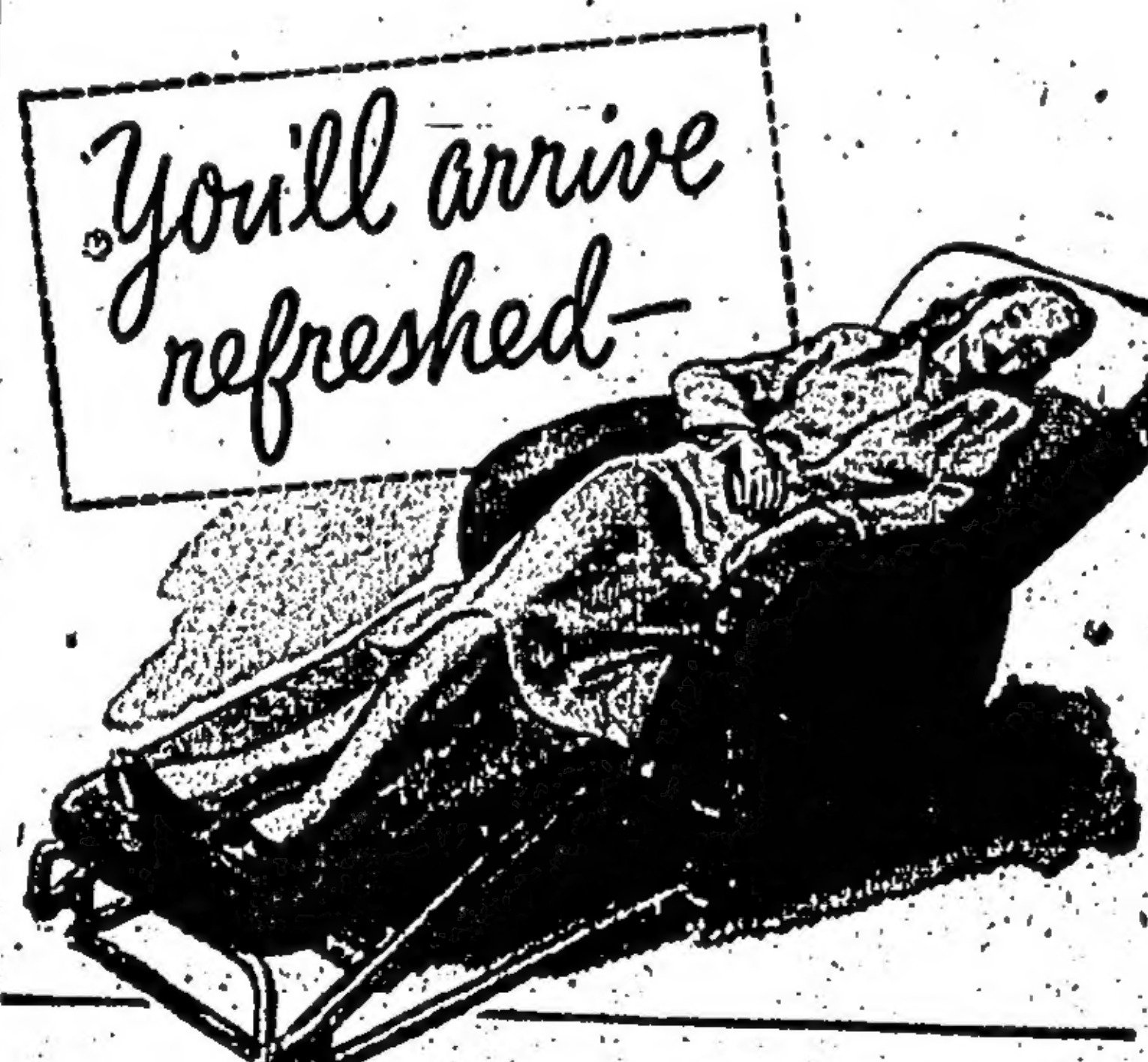
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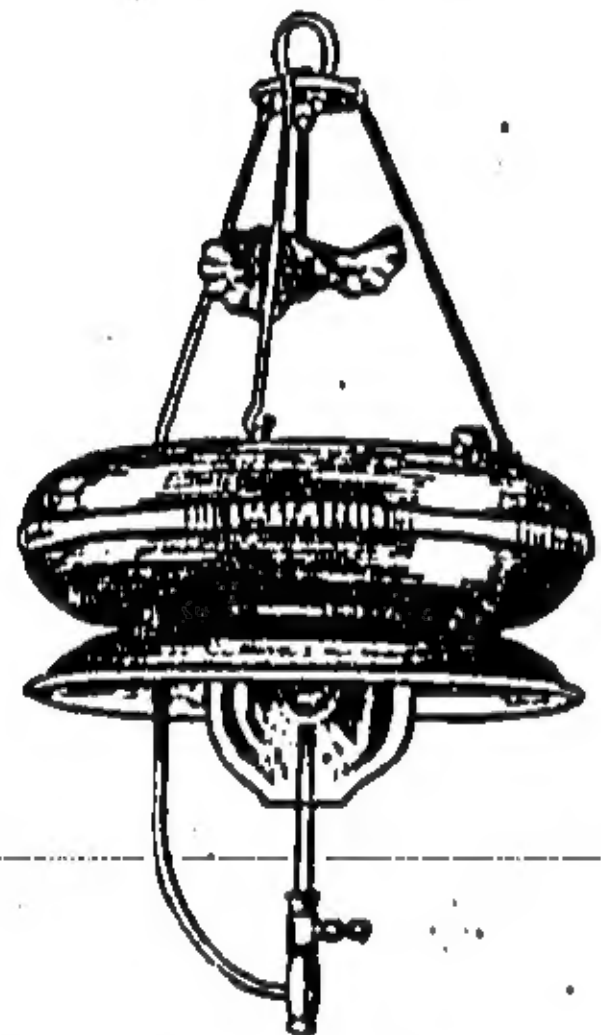
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Today, feet play an almost important part in the scheme of things as your hands and certainly demand as much attention and grooming. With summer here, your two feet will be boldly displayed bare on benches, in sandals and in high-heeled, slingback shoes. They will reap from beneath long, sweeping evening gowns and can make or mar your facial expression—for tired, aching feet leave their mark on your face. Relaxed feet mean a relaxed mind. Pander to your feet by gently massaging them with scented oils and eucalyptus and cooling them with a fragrant foot bath.

To get your feet looking as attractive as they should, and feeling as comfortable as you would want, first soak them in hot water (as hot as you can bear) to which you have added some boracic. Dry them well (remember in between your toes) and dust them with boracic this time.

### Pedicures

Remove any dead skin that might be on the soles by scraping with a sterilised razor blade. There are special chiro-pody knives available for this purpose, but the razor blade will suffice. Keep cutting the dead skin until the surface feels smooth.

A pedicure must be a vital part of your health and beauty routine, so make sure you pedicure your feet as religiously as you manicure your hands. When you pedicure your nails,

cut them straight across, never oval or curved, unless you want some nice in-grown toenails made to order for you. A good plan to harden the feet is to massage them every night with methylated spirit.

### The "E" Plan

To make (and keep) your feet supple exercise them for a least five minutes a day. Roll your toes over glass marbles. Train your toes to pick up small objects. Picking up small objects like a pencil will strengthen the tendons.

Sad about you that your ankles are not slim and shapely. If the bone-structure is large, your ankles won't whittle away to nothing overnight, no matter what you do.

But if your ankles are large merely because they are encased in rolls of fat, exercise is the solution. Persevere with these:

**EXERCISE 1.**  
Without shoes, raise yourself on your toes and walk around the room for a few minutes, feeling the muscles pulling and stretching all the time.

**EXERCISE 2.**  
With legs extended in front of you, while in a sitting position, rotate the right ankle to the left and then to the right about 30 times. Change feet and repeat.

**EXERCISE 3.**  
Stand on tip-toe on left foot and bend right knee up as high as you can. Hop gently on left foot, at same time making a circle with the right foot. Repeat with other leg.

Is yours the sad tale about the girl who bought cheap shoes and paid the penalty the rest of the summer by being tortured with pinched toes, corns and bunions, aching, depressed arches and thoroughly irritable disposition?

If corns have come your way, see your chiropodist right away. He (or she) will remove those corns and callouses for a very reasonable charge, and you will be able to slip forth into summer a foot-worship-free person, instead of squealing every time you see a hot, tarred road.

While we're still on this corny subject if you are not absolutely more corn than foot and have only a "pet" one, it might re-act to some home treatment. Dab some corn ointment on it and cover with a corn plaster to prevent any pressure and keep the ointment in place.

After you have done this a few times, bathe the foot in hot water in which you have added some bath salts. After this, you should be able to lift the corn out.

Puffy feet and ankles are often caused by the lack of liquid in the diet. Perspiration rids us of most of our liquid intake during the summer and, then there is insufficient water in the system to stimulate the kidneys.

So promise yourself you will drink at least two extra pints of water, fruit juices or any liquid at all—but preferably water—during the summer months.

Walk with your head held high, shoulders back and feet pointing straight ahead into a summer that will not be complicated by foot troubles.

### ADVICE FROM AN EXPERT

Hollywood makeup expert Perc. Westmore, who has glamorized dozens of film stars, gives this advice for successful makeup:

"Beauty is lost by fooling too much with nature," he says. "Don't worry about technical points of makeup—just be sure whatever beauty aids you do use are kept subtle, fine, and discreet."

\* Plan hair and makeup first, then work your wardrobe to supply the background.

\* To minimise wrinkles round the eyes, be sure not to squint when you powder your face.

\* Fashions in mouth shapes change, but colour should always be applied in curves.

\* For eyes and brows: Before applying mascara, use a wool-tipped orange stick dipped in water to remove all powder traces, which clog the mascara.

\* Most mascaras give a more natural look to eyelashes if the brush is dampened with skin freshener instead of water.

\* Brushing hair daily with a brush through which twisted strands of cottonwool have been twined is effective in maintaining a polished look.

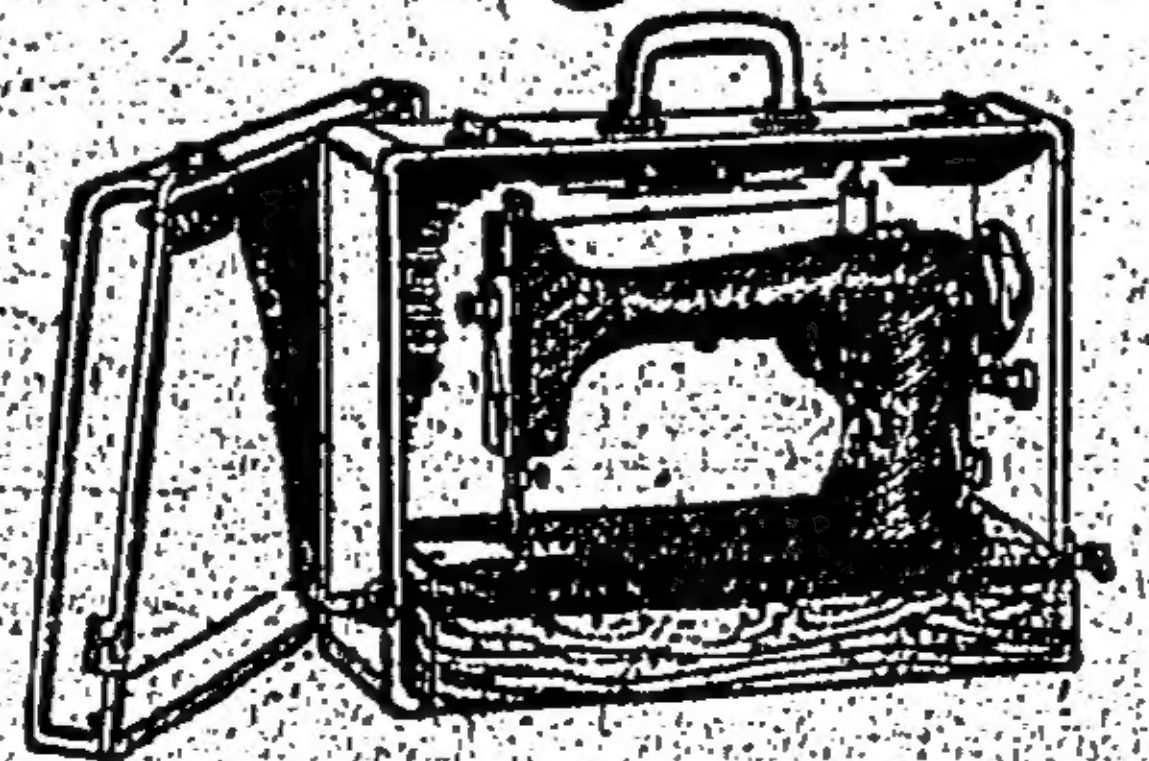
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### STAGE AND SOCIETY

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1. Pat Kirkwood wore a pink shepherds' dress with an all-over design in large grey roses. 2. Mario Sallars made her own dress. In reseda green fine wool, it had a peg-top skirt with draped pockets and a dainty lace-trimmed yoke. The Renold bonnet to match was trimmed with pink roses.

3. Sheila Douglas-Pennant chose a near ankle-length dress in navy taffeta, with fitted bodice and full skirt. Crisp white lace acted as trimming, and her white straw halo decorated with white lilac.

4. Constance Cummings wore a dress in pale cyclamen, with a bolero effect. Ostrich plumes in black and cyclamen made her hot.

5. The Empire dress of Moira Lester had a navy and white striped top and a plain skirt. The fly-away jacket was in grosgrain, and the picture hat and bag striped to match.



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### Yellow Touch

In this hot, sticky weather, you will be well advised to go very lightly indeed around the mouth and chin where the oil glands congregate. And if the acidity in your skin affects the colour of the powder, making it turn yellow, avoid all the yellow tints of powder, which contain ochre... and stick to the beige or peachy tones.

After making-up with foundation, rouge and powder, comes the delicate task of eye and brow make-up. Eyeshadow is usually reserved for evening wear these days. Applied away from the nose, it makes the eyes look farther apart.

### Lip Lightness

Lips have always been a source of temptation for the experimenter in make-up alterations! So many girls get a kick out of making over their lips to unusual shapes and sizes, when their efforts could be far better employed in learning how to tone down or enhance other features! Lips should never be drastically shrank. They can be encouraged to look fuller, thinner, longer or shorter by the skillful placing of the outline... but no more, please, or you run the risk of defeating your own ends.

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# SOCIALIST MINISTERS RESIGN FROM CABINET ANOTHER CRISIS IN FRANCE

Paris, July 19.  
Premier Robert Schuman's Government fell tonight when its eight Socialist Ministers resigned. The issue was chiefly a proposed budget for national defence, although there were other conflicts in the background. Premier Schuman and his Popular Republican Party (MRP) sought to spend the equivalent of US\$1,017,000,000.

The Socialists and Radical Socialists wanted to cut this by US\$17,000,000. Another background conflict between the Socialists and the Government was a bill which Finance Minister Rene Mayer reportedly has been preparing. The bill would give the Cabinet power to make reforms in the governmental machinery by decree. The Socialists oppose such a plan. Such reforms now must be made by the Assembly. If, however, new National elections result, the Socialists will have an advantage in being able to tell their constituents they resigned to avoid heavy army spending. The Socialists traditionally are anti-militarists. A few minutes after the resignations were announced, the National Assembly voted 297 to 214 to amend the budget according to the Socialist demand. There were 70 abstentions. Premier Schuman's Cabinet, although it fell, did not resign as a whole. Only the Socialists took this action.—Associated Press.

**BLACK MARKET - RAIDS**

Shanghai, July 20.  
Ten persons were arrested yesterday when the Economic Police raided eight commercial establishments suspected of having dealt in black market gold and foreign exchange transactions. During the search of one office, police received three telephone calls asking for the black market rates of gold and American dollars.—Reuter.

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# FAO Rice Council Meeting

Washington, July 20.  
The United Nations Food and Agricultural Organisation announced today that delegates of 18 nations representing the Far East, Middle East, Europe and America will attend the rice council meeting due to open in Mexico City on Monday.

The FAO said the agenda will include allocations of rice to Europe for the second half of this year and division among member countries of 200,000 tons unexpectedly available from Siam and the United States. The Council normally meets at the headquarters of FAO here, but it will convene this session in Mexico at the invitation of the government there.

The countries which will attend the meeting are: China, Burma, Brazil, Cuba, Ecuador, Egypt, the United States, the Philippines, France, India, Indonesia, Italy, Mexico, Pakistan, Siam and the United Kingdom.

Officials said that until this year the rice supply was so short that none was allotted to Europe where wheat and other grains constitute the basic food. They said this conserved supply is for Far Eastern and other traditional rice eating countries. They said, however, that producer countries wanted to save their usually important market in Europe.

The list of delegates by the countries was announced here as follows:

China, Kuo Shou-ang; Burma, Fu Mut Tun and Kien Maung Galle; Brazil, Callaro Rodriguez; Ecuador, Oswaldo Garcia; Egypt, Anwar Niaz; United States, Bob Ellis, chairman of the committee and Michael Bennett; the Philippines, Jose Teodoro and Arturo Tanco; France, A. C. Bous-singault; India, N.G. Abhyankar; Indonesia, G. E. Hogan and R. L. Muir; Italy, E. N. Rogers; Pakistan, M. M. Farooqui; the United Kingdom, Leonard H. Allen; Siam, Dilokait Kridakorn; Mexico, Augustin Ochoa; Cuba, Ramon G. Osuna.—United Press.

# He Was In Reverse

Shanghai, July 20.  
X-rays of eight-year-old Lee Yung-yuan disclosed the boy's internal organs in a reverse position, doctors reported. They said his appendix, for instance, is on the left instead of the right side. The boy's parents said he is normal, though his health has not been good.—Associated Press.

# Threat To Ceylon Industry

London, July 19.  
The tea industry in Ceylon faces obliteration unless the blight, a plant disease known for years in north India, which had broken out in Ceylon and southern India in 1946, is wiped out, Mr. W.V.D. Pieris, Ceylonese delegate to the Commonwealth Mycological Conference, told Reuter today.

Delegates from all the Dominions and the colonies—official mycologists and plant pathologists—were present. The last Conference, usually held every five years but upset by the war, took place in 1934. "Blister blight is a striking and new example of the spread of one disease from one country to another or from one part of a country to another", Mr. Pieris said. "It is the major tea problem facing Ceylon today, and is due to the inefficiency of the control of imports of planting materials". He said control measures would be the responsibility of the Tea Research Institute in Ceylon. The Conference called for the control of planting materials by an international agreement within the Commonwealth. "We will start with South Africa and work from there until the quarantine legislation extends to all parts of the Commonwealth", Mr. Pieris said.—Reuter.

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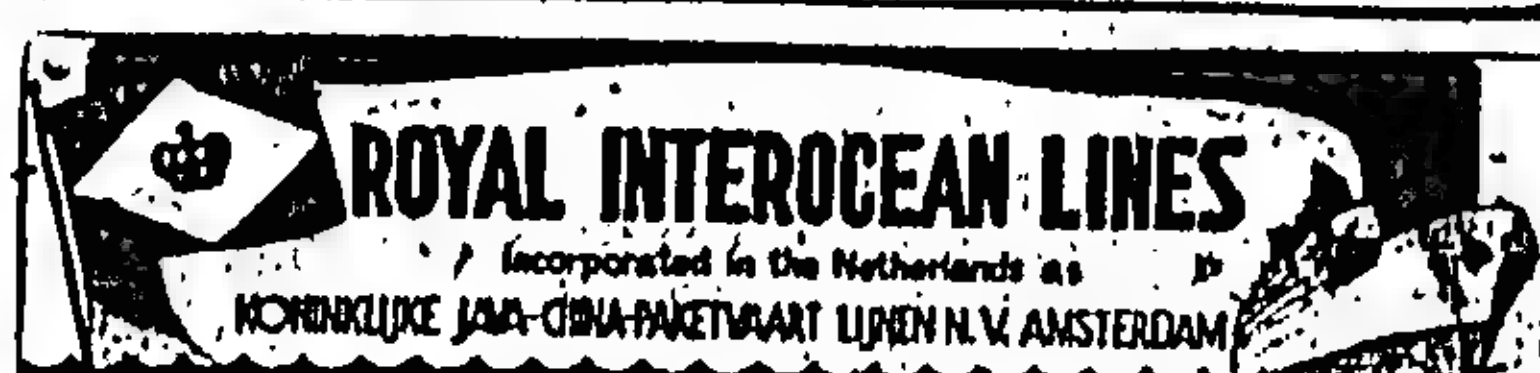
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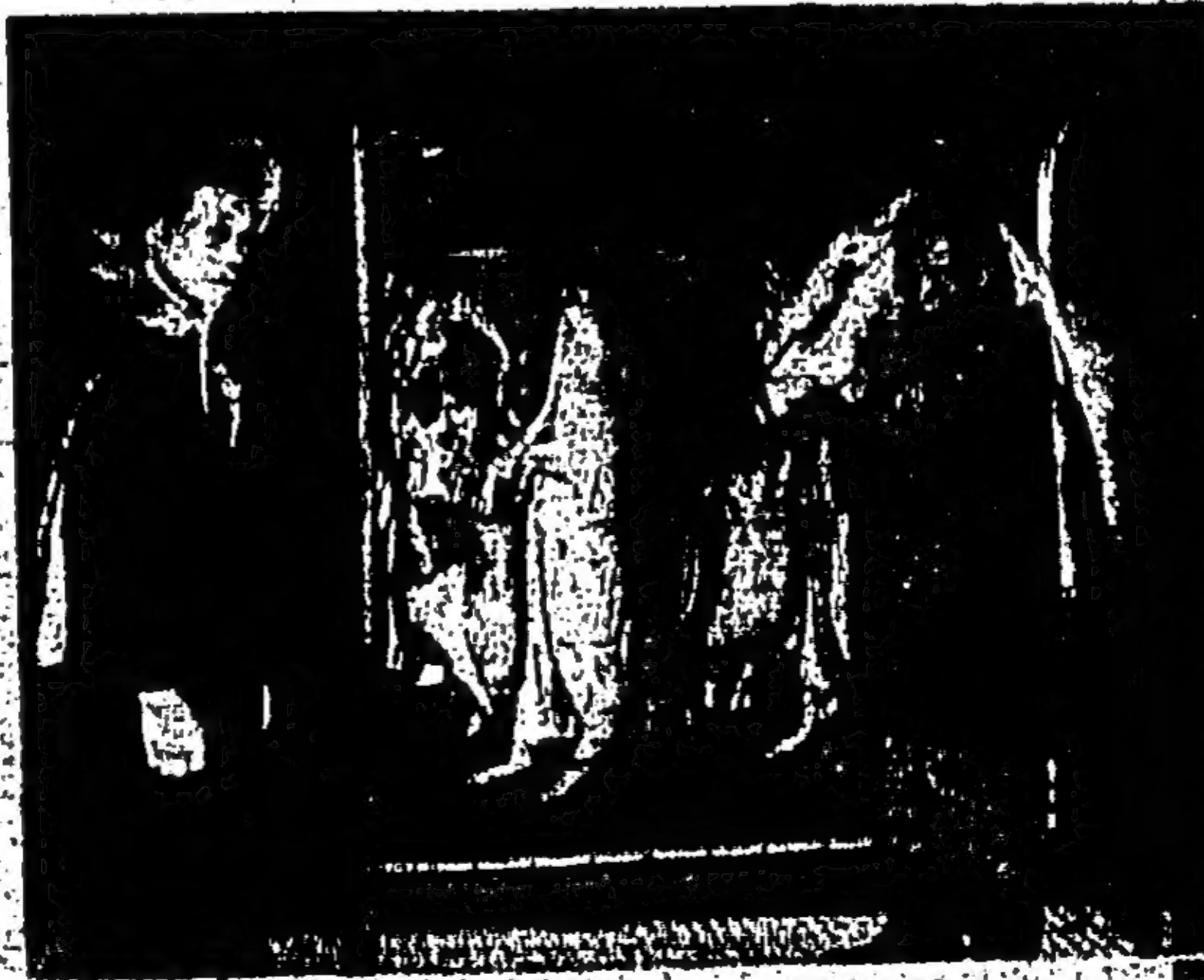


The main entrance to the Central Market in Queen's Road Central.

This market was built in 1935 at the cost of \$750,000.00, and comprises a four-storey building of reinforced concrete throughout, with terrace floors and stalls. This market is considered to be the most modern and up-to-date market in the Far East. There are two main entrances for the use of the Public, one in Queen's Road, and the other in Des Voeux Road Central.

There is a lift service for the Public to all floors at the Des Voeux Road entrance.

Unloading meat and pork at the Central Market. The meat is derived from animals which have received anti and post-mortem inspection at the Government-controlled Slaughter Houses. There are two deliveries daily.



### MARKET STAFF:

Two foremen, one ganger and 21 market coolies are employed in the market to take care of the general cleanliness etc., and one ganger and 16 meat porters for the unloading of meat and produce to the stalls from the Government-controlled Slaughter House. This staff is under the direct supervision of Senior Inspector S. G. Peole (S. I. Slaughter Houses and Markets H.K. and Kowloon) and Insp. A. W. Fowler, Insp. i/c Markets H.K., assisted by Overseer Imam Din.

The 11 markets in Kowloon and 17 in Hong Kong are all under Government control, and staffed by the Urban Council.



The lift to the upper floors from the Des Voeux Road entrance.





GROUP PHOTOGRAPH of members of the Buffs team who won the Shield at the Land Forces Inter-unit Aquatic Sports competition last week. Lt. Col. F. W. Parry, O/C 2nd Buffs, is in the second row, second from right. (Ming Yuen)



LADY RITCHIE presenting the Shield to Captain Harries, Sports Officer of the Buffs. (Ming Yuen)



WATCHING THE EVENTS: General Sir Neil Ritchie watching the aquatic events with the GOC Hong Kong, Maj. General A. E. Matthews. (Ming Yuen)



THE GOAL: In the water polo event, the Buffs team (black caps) beat the Minor Units team by one goal. (Ming Yuen)

THE MINOR UNITS team, runners-up for the Shield, are shown at the right. The captain of the Minor Units team, Major Penelope, is 2nd from left in the front row. (Ming Yuen)





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"NINGHAI" ..... Saigon & Bangkok 5 p.m. 23rd July  
"HUNAN" ..... Tientsin & Inchon (Korea) 10 a.m. 28th July  
"SHENGKING" ..... Yokohama & Shanghai 6 p.m. 28th July  
"FOYANG" ..... Yokohama & Shanghai 10 a.m. 29th July  
"FUKIEN" ..... Sourabaya & Macassar 5 p.m. 29th July

\* Sails from Custodian Wharf

## ARRIVALS FROM

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"HUPH" ..... Amoy 21st July  
"NINGHAI" ..... Kobe & Keelung 21st July  
"FOYANG" ..... Tientsin, Inchon, Shanghai & Fochow 23rd July  
"HUNAN" ..... Japan, Shanghai & Keelung 25th July  
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## AIR AND SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

## Shipping Arrivals

## YESTERDAY

CHIR, SALEN (W. Hunt) ..... All  
TAIBIS (E.A.C.) ..... Canadian, 4,228 tons,  
from Pacific Coast, sailed from A-7  
TJADAKA (R.I.L.) ..... Dutch from Batavia  
via ..... A-7

## TODAY

CHINA TRANSPORT (Jardine) from San Francisco ..... K. W. H.  
HUPH (H. & S.) from Amoy ..... B-14  
NINGHAI (H. & S.) from Kobe and Keelung ..... B-14  
PRINCE (McKinnley (A.P.L.) from San Francisco ..... K. W. H.  
RESOLUTE (U.S.L.) from New York A-13  
BIRDIANA (Mac. Mac.) from Japan ..... K. W. H.  
TSINAN (H. & S.) from Swatow ..... C. W. H.

## TOMORROW

INDIA MAIL (Everett) from U.S.A.  
TREVORE (Mac. Mac.) from Japan.

## Shipping Departures

## YESTERDAY

HAI CHEN (C.M.R.N.) for Shanghai.  
HAI YONG (Douglas) for Swatow.  
PRINCE (McKinnley (A.P.L.) for K.L. Singapore  
TAK BANG (Jardine) for Calcutta via Singapore.

## TODAY

TAIBIS (E.A.C.) for Manila.  
TJADAKA (R.I.L.) for K.L. Singapore  
TJADAKA (R.I.L.) for Java  
WING BANG (Jardine) for Keelung and Nanshan.

## TOMORROW

RENAISSANCE (Gillman) for Europe.  
DENVER (Gillman) for Europe.  
CHINA TRANSPORT (Jardine) for San Francisco.  
DAVIKEN (H. & S.) for Swatow.  
PRINCE (McKinnley (A.P.L.) for San Francisco.  
RESOLUTE (U.S.L.) for Manila.  
SZCHUEN (H. & S.) for Shanghai and Hongkong.  
TEMPER (Doddwell) for Atlantic Coast.  
TSINAN (H. & S.) for Swatow.

## Vessels in Port

ADINDA (H. & S.) ..... Talkoo Dh.  
AMARANTHUS (Whitlock), Plover Cove  
ANNELOR (Walton), Plover Cove  
TJADAKA (R.I.L.) ..... K. W. H.  
DENVER (Gillman) ..... K. W. H.  
HUPH (H. & S.) ..... K. W. H.  
CHIR, SALEN (W. Hunt) ..... A-13  
CLOCKLOCK (W. Pat Sing) ..... A-13  
DAVIKEN (H. & S.) ..... B-11

## AIRCRAFT

## MOVEMENTS

## Arrivals

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11:45 a.m.; Amoy 4:40 p.m.; ex-Amoy via Tientsin, Swatow 7:40 p.m.; ex-Amoy via Swatow 1:20 p.m.; ex-Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
CATHAY PACIFIC ex-Singapore via Bangkok 2 p.m.  
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Shanghai 9 a.m.; ex-Canton 10:55 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 3:35 p.m., 5:55 p.m.  
PAN-AMERICAN ex-New York via London, Istanbul, Damascus, Karachi, Calcutta, Bangkok 11:15 p.m.  
PHILIPPINE AIRLINES ex-Shanghai 12 noon.

## TODAY

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11:45 a.m.; Hoihow via Canton 4:30 p.m.; Amoy via Swatow 1:55 p.m.; Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
CATHAY PACIFIC via Amoy, Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 10:55 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 3:35 p.m., 5:55 p.m.  
PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Guam, Manila 2:15 p.m.  
H.O.A.C. ex-Singapore, Bangkok 3:30 p.m.; ex-Southern, Bangkok 8 p.m.  
AIR FRANCE ex-Shanghai 1 p.m.

## TOMORROW

CNAC ex-Shanghai 11:45 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow 1:55 p.m.; ex-Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
CATHAY PACIFIC ex-Shanghai 1 p.m.  
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Shanghai 9 a.m.; ex-Canton 10:55 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 3:35 p.m., 5:55 p.m.  
PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Shanghai 1:30 p.m.

## Departures

## TODAY

CNAC for Shanghai 12:45 p.m.; Shanghai via Canton, Keelung, Hengyang, Hankow, Nanking 8:30 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow, Tientsin 8:40 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow 8 a.m.; Canton 8:15 p.m., 4:40 p.m.  
CATHAY PACIFIC for Tientsin via Swatow, Amoy 8:30 a.m.; Shanghai via Swatow, Fochow 8 a.m.; Nanking via Canton 8:40 a.m.; Canton 8:15 p.m., 4:40 p.m.  
H.K. AIRWAYS for Canton 9 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 4 p.m.  
PAN-AMERICAN AIRWAY for San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Wake, Honolulu 6:15 p.m.  
PHILIPPINE AIRLINES for San Francisco via Manila, Guam, Honolulu 7 p.m.  
AIR FRANCE for Shanghai 6 a.m.

## TOMORROW

CNAC for Shanghai 12:45 p.m.; Hoihow via Canton 4:30 p.m.; Amoy via Swatow 1:55 p.m.; Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
CATHAY PACIFIC via Amoy, Canton 4:20 p.m., 6:45 p.m.  
H.K. AIRWAYS ex-Canton 10:55 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 3:35 p.m., 5:55 p.m.  
PAN-AMERICAN ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Tokyo, Shanghai 1:30 p.m.

## CHINA

July 21 WING BANG (Jardine) for Keelung and Shanghai.  
22 DENVER (Gillman) for Europe.  
23 DAVIKEN (H. & S.) for Swatow.  
24 SECHUEN (H. & S.) for Shanghai and Bangkok.  
25 TEMPER (Doddwell) for Shanghai.  
26 MAU BANG (Jardine) for Shanghai.  
27 NINGHAI (H. & S.) for Shanghai.  
28 PLAYING TRADER (Pattison) for Shanghai, Tientsin, Keelung, and Amoy.  
29 RANDOLA (Mac. Mac.) for Amoy, Shanghai, Japan.  
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26 TREVORE (Mac. Mac.) ex-Japan 26  
27 BIRDIANA (Mac. Mac.) ex-Japan 27  
28 PUNDULA (Mac. Mac.) ex-Japan 28  
29 CHAK BANG (Jardine) ex-Kobe 29  
30 CHIO BANG (Jardine) ex-Japan 30

## SOUTH-EAST PORTS

July 21 HUNAN (H. & S.) ex-Tientsin and Amoy 21  
22 HUPH (H. & S.) ex-Amoy 22  
23 LENEVERETT (Everett) ex-Manila 23  
24 RANDOLA (Mac. Mac.) ex-Singapore 24  
25 SHENGKING (H. & S.) ex-Shanghai 25  
26 TSINAN (H. & S.) ex-Singapore 26  
27 CARTRIDGE (Mac. Mac.) ex-Singapore 27  
28 EASTERN SAGA (Jardine) ex-Singapore 28  
29 HEINRICH JESSEN (R.I.L.) ex-Java via Swatow 29  
30 LOK BANG (Jardine) ex-Singapore 30  
31 TREVORE (Mac. Mac.) ex-Java via Swatow 31  
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## EUROPE

July 21 DENVER (Gillman) for Europe 21  
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## AFRICA

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22 STRAIT MALAKKA (R.I.L.) for S. Africa via Manila 22

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23 INDIA MAIL (Everett) for Atlantic Coast via Manila 23  
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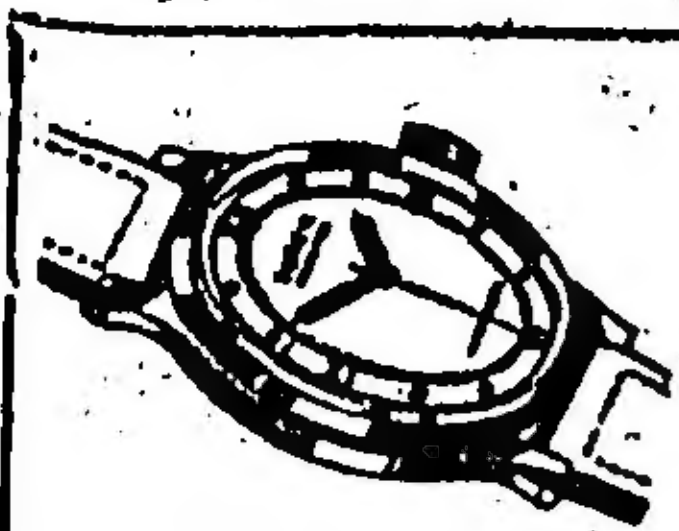
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## MIDDLESEX BEATEN BY 10 WICKETS

London, July 20.  
Australia beat Middlesex by ten wickets in their match which ended this morning at Lords.

Scores: Middlesex—1st Innings	
203.	
Middlesex—2nd Innings.	
Robertson, retired hurt.	10
Brown, b. B. Johnston.	3
Edrich, lbw, b. Lindwall.	1
D. Compton, lbw, b. Johnston.	1
Dewes, b. McCool.	51
Mann, b. Lindwall.	0
Simms, c. Loxton, b. Ring.	7
Leslie Compton, c. and b. McCool.	38
Young, b. Johnston.	1
Whitecombe, c. Lindwall, b. McCool.	0
Bestford, not out.	1
Extras.	5
Total.	135

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lindwall	9	2	31	2
Johnston	12	4	20	2
Ring	7	0	29	1
Loxton	7	2	15	1
McCool	10.4	2	27	3
Bates	1	leg-byes	3	no-ball
by Lindwall.				
Australia—1st Innings 317.				
Australia—2nd Innings.				
Ring, not out.				15
McCool, not out.				7
Extras.				0
Total (for no wickets)				22

### MONDAY'S PLAY

London, July 19.

Middlesex had scored 36 for their first record innings, after dismissing the Australians after the tea interval for 317, when stumps were drawn today.

A fourth wicket partnership of 172 between Arthur Morris, who scored 109, and Sam Loxton, who made 123, followed by some fine bowling by Ray Lindwall and Bill Johnston placed the tourists in a commanding position. The County are still 73 runs behind with six wickets in hand.

The King and Queen were among the crowd of 30,000—the gate was closed during the innings and 50 runs in 20 minutes, 105 in an hour and finally 172 in 115 minutes for the fourth wicket.

The Middlesex attack, lacking the services of Whitecombe, who strained a leg muscle in the last year before lunch, received no assistance from an easy-paced bowler and not even the continued keen fielding could stem the flow of runs.

Morris batted for two hours 25 minutes without giving a chance and hit 17 fours. Loxton's forceful innings, which lasted about the same time, was featured by some brilliant driving, which earned him sixteen boundaries.

Transformation  
The game underwent a remarkable transformation when Simms, the play leg break bowler, striking a length and spinning a little, dismissed Loxton, McCool and Lindwall in one over, two of them with successive deliveries.

The last three wickets fell for 45 runs in 65 minutes. Sims followed up his successful spell by bowling Loxton, Ring and Bestford, before, however, he offered some resistance for 105 minutes.

Middlesex had a disastrous start in 45 minutes against fast and fiery bowling. Brown lost his leg stump at 16. Edrich was leg before to the first ball he received from Lindwall at 16, and Compton looked surprised when he was given out leg before at 27, after batting 30 minutes for two runs.

At the same time Robertson retired hurt when struck in the face by a ball from Lindwall. The pace of the game was maintained by the fact that the tourists were receiving treatment in the pavilion, Mann was bowled the first ball without addition to the total. Dewes and Sims played out time when Middlesex were still 78 runs short of saving an innings' defeat.—Reuter.

## Imperial Cricket Conference

London, July 19.

India will rank as a full member of the Imperial Cricket Conference for two years, irrespective of the change brought about by the new status of India, it was announced at a meeting of the Imperial Cricket Conference at Lords.

The Chairman of the Indian Cricket Board of Control told Reuter after the meeting that efforts to get the M.C.C. to change their minds over the cancellation of the tour to India were unsuccessful.

In a report by the Selection and Manpower Sub-Committee of the M.C.C. the reluctant view was expressed that the present situation concerning English cricket was sufficiently serious to warrant a curtailment of tours in the immediate future.

In view of the prevailing conditions in England, the M.C.C. suggested that there should be an increase in the interchange of visits between other countries affiliated to the Conference.

General agreement was reached by the Conference regarding the appointment of umpires for Test matches.

The M.C.C. Committee stated that it was not proposed at present to upset the arrangement by which visits with Australia were interchanged every four years, but it might become necessary later that Australian tours to the United Kingdom should be arranged alternatively at five and three years' intervals.—Reuter.

## Law Leads The Blind

Gay, laughing crowds were streaming from the King's Theatre shortly after 7 p.m. yesterday. The pavement outside the Theatre was crowded with hundreds of other people waiting their turn to enter.

From the crowds, there emerged a blind beggar girl, hunched over, holding a stick, and groping her way about with a stick.

No one heeded this ill-clad, bare-footed girl as she stepped on to the road in the face of oncoming traffic.

Chinese Traffic Policeman 2014 who was on duty at the spot immediately went to the assistance of the girl, holding her gently by the arm, he led her across the street to safety. After offering the girl a few kind words of advice, for which he was warmly thanked, the policeman returned to his task of directing traffic.

## ARMY HOCKEY

The following are the results of the 1st round of the Army Inter-Unit Six-a-side Hockey Competition played during the week:

RASC	1	CRE	0
REME	3	Camp 'A'	0
Buff 'A'	1	Buff 'D'	0
Infantry 'B'	5	Buff 'C'	4
Camp 'B'	5	23 Fd Regt	0

The Quarter Finals will be played today at Victoria Barracks at 2.30 p.m.

Infantry 'C'	v. Buff 'A'
Camp 'A'	v. Buff 'D'
Infantry 'A'	v. Infantry 'B'
Camp 'B'	v. 23 Fd Regt

A final match, played between Buff 'A' and Buff 'D', has resulted in a draw—two wins each and a goal scored.—Reuter.

## Olympic Uniform



The uniform to be worn by Great Britain's women Olympic competitors on show in London. An open-neck one-piece white dress with a washable material is worn with a tight fitting navy blue jacket, bearing a badge on the left breast pocket of the Union Jack and "Olympic Games 1948." A matching beret is also worn with the 1948 Olympic badge. This utility uniform costs £6 7s. 10d. complete.

## Economic Control Suspended

Shanghai, July 20.  
Lieut.-General Hsuan Ti-wu, commander of the Shanghai-Wusong garrison resigned at the same time that the garrison suspended all economic control activities in the Shanghai area.

President Chiang Kai-shek, however, was reported to have asked Hsuan to continue in office.

No reason was given for the suspension of the garrison's work in attempting to halt Shanghai's runaway inflation.

It was pointed out that the suggestion may have been prompted by the recent arrest of three top-ranking garrison officers on charges of dealing in foreign currency, gold and commodities in black markets. The trio are now awaiting trial.

Municipal Government sources said, however, that Nanking authorities had expressed disapproval of financial control measures being enforced by the military in place of civil agencies.

Still others pointed out that the garrison's measures stopped black markets. Soaring commodity prices failed.—Associated Press.

## Woman's Body Recovered

Saipan coolies picked up the naked body of a woman near Lantau Island yesterday morning.

Police believe it to be that of one of the victims in the recent Man Kwong disaster.

The decomposed corpse was sent to the Cheung Chau police who delivered it to the Water Police headquarters now in the Kowloon mortuary.

The woman, estimated to be about 40 years old, had a pearl-studded gold ring on her finger. She had sandals on.

## Only Olympic Complaints Are About The Sun

(By VERNON MORGAN, Reuter's Sports Editor)  
London, July 19.

Today was a red letter day for visiting athletes, especially those from the Far East, because, for the first time since their arrival, it was warm and sunny.

Ask any athlete, notably from India and the West if he has any complaints whatever and he will promptly say "only that we have no sun."

It has been very difficult for these Olympic athletes trying to finish their training to get their muscles supplied without the very necessary heat of the sun and to take off all superfluous tissue as only warm weather can really do. Masses have been working overtime in the various camps but they have been unable to prevent many runners having strained muscles.

The cold damp weather has wrought havoc in a minor way apart from making athletes feel downcast and depressed, but today men from the East were all smiles as they "bathed" in the warm air. Their only anxiety was whether it would last.

Hitherto, the only man who seemed to revel in the Arctic conditions—the Flins have not yet arrived—was the Indian Marudhan, runner, Chitola Singh, who told me the hard British climate had increased his stamina. But even he had to go to the up-to-date camp hospital for some days with a bad cold.

While the hot summer sun is so gladly welcomed by visiting athletes, it may prove a mixed blessing to British athletes who, being used to the cold unpleasant weather, hoped that it would give them a better chance to beat their rivals.

U.S. Handicapped  
Indeed, experts were saying American athletes would find it extremely difficult to reproduce the remarkable times and feats established in their own country.

Although there were those who feared visiting athletes and officials might not find their living quarters as roomy and comfortable as they would have liked, there has been no suggestion from any athlete with whom I have talked that their quarters are anything but good.

When Mr. Emanuel Shinwell, the Secretary for War, opened today the Sandhurst and Bletley Olympic centres which will house between 300 and 400 competitors from 20 countries, he said: "I do not pretend the hospitality we can offer is of the most sumptuous character, but it is the best we can do. It is similar to that we provide for our officer cadets. We bring them up the hard way and I think that is the best way."

"Olympic athletes, too, are used to a Spartan upbringing and they do not expect the luxury of a West End hotel."

It is perhaps early yet to speak for there is much yet to be done even before the Games begin, but everything so far has gone off extremely well and there has not been a single hitch.

Visiting officials are amazed that everything in first class order and that they are being so well housed and fed.

One London evening paper today published a splash story of a

## Football Association Meeting

At the first meeting of the Council of the Hong Kong Football Association for the 1948-49 season held yesterday it was decided that the Police ground at Boundary Street and the Army Ground at Soekunpoo be used for all representative and Interport games this season.

A committee of five members was elected to go into the matter in details of expenditure and the method of recouping any outlay.

The following committees were elected at yesterday's meeting.

Appeals Board:—Hon. Mr. A. Morse, Sir Miki-ram Lo K.C., C.B.E., Col. Alexander and Mr. J. McKelvie.

Emergency Committee:—Mr. K. K. Ip Inspector G. Harris, and Capt. Tribble.

Referee Committee:—Mr. Clarke, Mr. MacAlpine, Squadron Leader Pagnum.

Ground Committee:—Mr. J. C. Gillingham (chairman), Messrs. H. Fung, MacAlpine, Clarke, and Mr. Mok Hing.

League Management Committee:—Messrs. J. Cecil Gillingham, R.M. Omar, A. MacAlpine, Clarke, Capt. Tribble, and Mr. Mok Hing.

Messrs. Percy Smith were re-elected treasurers of the Association.

Mr. L. F. de Souza, Hon. Secretary of the Association since the liberation, was unanimously re-elected Hon. Secretary.

There was no other nomination to this post.

It was also decided that the monthly meeting of the Council be held on the second Tuesday of each month.

Mr. Mok Hing of the Chinese Federation submitted some alterations to the Governor's Cup competition. As insufficient notice was given it was decided that the matter be discussed at the next meeting.

## Laker Celebrates Test Selection

London, July 19.

Jim Laker, Surrey's all-rounder, celebrated his choice as one of England's XI for the fourth Test against Australia, by almost getting his first century in big cricket against Kent at the Oval.

He had the misfortune to be run out when on a short of the 100, risking a sharp single and being thrown out from the deep. He batted two hours and a half and hit ten fours, cutting and driving especially well.

Another of the Test XII, Jack Crapp, hit an excellent 77 for Gloucestershire against Worcestershire and helped to give his side a commanding first innings' lead.

Two other Test selectors, Cyril Washbrook and Kenneth Crutten, (Gloucestershire) fell to R. Nutter, who gave an impressive bowling performance for Northamptonshire, Nutter, who was playing

against his native county, at one time had an analysis of four wickets for 27.

However, Lancashire ran up a huge total at the close by a fifth wicket partnership of 175 by J. Ekin and B. Howard, to which Ekin contributed a chanceless first century of the season. Washbrook's share of the total was 54.

Scoreboards  
Close of play score:  
At Kennington Oval: Surrey 303 for 9 declared (Whitcombe 68, Laker 92); Kent 186 for 2 (Laker 87 not out).

At Liverpool: Northamptonshire 144 (Roberts 4 for 31); Lancashire 411 for 9 (Washbrook 54, Place 65, Jkin 100, Howard 94).

At Worcester: Worcestershire 143 and 27 for no wicket. Gloucestershire 324 for 9 declared (Barnett 67, Crapp 77, Wilson 85).

At Frome: Somerset 307 (Gimblett 119, Walsh 6 for 93) and 116 for 3 (Gimblett 80); Leicestershire 20 (Leicester 60).

At Colchester: Hampshire beat Essex by 10 wickets. Essex 122 and 100 (Dodd 72); Hampshire 280 and 71 for no wicket.

At Birmingham: Warwickshire 316 (Muncer 6 for 93) and 109 for 5 (Gillman 101).

At Burton-on-Trent: Sussex 284 and 95 for 3 (Desai 59); Derbyshire 116 for 3 (Gimblett 80); Leicestershire 20 (Leicester 60).

At Nottingham: Yorkshire 371 (Aspinall 75 not out); Nottingham 27 for 5 (Hardstaff 51, Simpson 60 not out).—Reuter.

## Lawn Bowls Open Singles, Doubles Preliminary Draw

The draw for the preliminary round of the Open Singles and Open Doubles Lawn Bowls Championships was made on Monday by members of the Competition Sub-Committee of the Lawn Bowls Association. The draw for the Open Rinks will take place some time next week.

Competitors are asked to note that games fixed on week-days may be played either one day earlier or one day later provided both sides are agreeable.

Week-day matches must commence before 4 p.m. No further extensions will be allowed. If a ground is closed the game will be played on the next available week-day.

Bowls convenors and grounds-men are requested to reserve the necessary rinks for matches on dates concerned.

Following is the draw:—  
OPEN PAIR—PRELIMINARY ROUND  
TUESDAY, AUG. 3

F.X.M. de Silva and P.M.N. de Silva (2574) v. W. Hume Blair and A.M. Omar (2574) (K.C.C.).  
A.F. Norrish and J.E. Norrish (2574) v. G.W. Sewell and E.J.R. Mitchell (2574) (K.C.C.).

R. Struan and R.P. Phillips (2574) v. R. Yusuf and A.M. Omar (2574) (K.C.C.).  
L.R. on Silva and W.G. Davey (2574) v. A.G. Eastman and W.G. Simpson (2574) (K.C.C.).

J.W.M. Dixon and G. Willerton (2574) v. T.E. Baker and D. Hume (2574) (K.C.C.).  
R. Leigh and J.A. Tibble (2574) v. G. Hong Choy and G.A. Sousa (2574) (K.C.C.).

D.M. Omar and K.M. Omar (2574) v. A. Steven and J.A.R. Selby (2574) (K.C.C.).  
C. de R.

THURSDAY, AUG. 4  
R.M.V. Ribeiro and J.C. Romelino (2574) v. W. Williamson and J. Kaur (2574) (K.C.C.).  
J.S.P. Thompson and P. Goodwin (2574) v. E.R. Frank and A.P. Ferreira (2574) (K.C.C.).

A.H. Seem and A.M. Wahab (2574) v. A.A. Lopez and E.M. Alarcon (2574) (K.C.C.).  
H.Y. Hui and B. Cheng (2574) v. B.S. Chow and Francis Lee (2574) (K.C.C.).

WEDNESDAY, JULY 22  
K.M. Romelino (2574) v. J. Tindal (2574) (K.C.C.).  
J.A. Silva and J.C. Romelino (2574) v. W. Gaffney (2574) (K.C.C.).

J.H. O'Grady (2574) v. W.E. Field (2574) (K.C.C.).  
M.J. Medina (2574) v. G.P. Busto (2574) (K.C.C.).

L.S. de Silva (2574) v. E.G. Fischer (2574) (K.C.C.).  
THURSDAY, JULY 23  
C.B. Rosales (2574) v. A.M. Omar (2574) (K.C.C.).

E.R. Mitchell (2574) v. J.W. Bradbury (2574) (K.C.C.).  
A.H. Silva (2574) v. J.P. de Luz (2574) (K.C.C.).

C.P. Rosales (2574) v. L.A. Goller (2574) (K.C.C.).  
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